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BIGELOW HAS $3,000,000 FOR ROADS, SAYS POWELL

Less than $100,000 was Held Up by Auditor General—Political Trick Says Pow ll

Declaring that the delay on the part of State Highway Commissioner Bigelow in bringing an amicable suit against him to decide the justice of his hold-up of State funds has been for political reasons, Auditor General Powell yesterday said there was no financial reason why workon the repair and maintenance of roads should have been stopped by Bigelow.

"There is over $3,000,000 in the State Treasury," said Auditor General Powell, "that has been specifically appropriated to the State Highway Department upon which no requisition has ever been held by the Department nor delayed. I know of no financial reasons for the stoppage of work on the highways."

Auditor General Powell gives out the following figures which are complete to the time of beginning business October 1, to show how much money the State Highway Department has had since Mr. Bigelow became State Highway Commissioner, June 1, 1911.

At that time there was an available balance of $784,802.09, and from that date to the close of business September 30, 1913, there had been refunded by counties and townships as their apportionment of State aid funds, $372,217.25. Further receipts from this source will also be available from time to time.

BIGELOW'S FUND, $12,000,000.

The total amount of money appropriated in 1911 to the Highway Department was $4,905,000 and the total amount for the session of 1913, $6,367,708 92. Exclusive of any controversy between the Highway Department and the Auditor General's Departme t there has been available for the use of Mr. Bigelow's department the sum of $12,430,528 17. This sum is nearly one-fourth of the amount desired for road building purposes under the proposed bond issue.

The total, explained the Auditor General, does not include the township road bonuses or money involved in acquiring township roads.

"While the Auditor General's Department has not been advised of the amount of receipts from automobile licenses since July 16, the date of the signing of act 403, making available $400,000 to be distributed rateably among the counties," said the Auditor General, "the amount does not involve $100,000. Today there is available to the Highway Department, $3,999,880 39. We are convinced that the amount held up is less than two per cent. of the amount available and less than one per cent. of the amount appropriated by the Legislature in 1913. Just why Mr. Bigelow should hold up the 98 per cent. and stop all work, I do not know."

At the time work was ordered stopped on the repairs and maintenance of highways it was said at the Highway Department that not only were the automobile licenses held up at issue but also the funds that would be raised through license next year, but no explanation has been yet given why with the money available for this year work should have been entirely shut down, except that reason advanced by the Auditor General—political effect on the bond issue.

I. O. O. F. Officers.

Officers in the various lodges of Odd Fellows are being installed, and these have been reported:

STATE COLLEGE.

Noble grand, John N. Mong; vice grand, B. H. Bottenhorn; financial secretary, Wallace Woomer; recording secretary, Harry Woomer; trustee, C. L. Hollobaugh; representative to grand lodge, George B. Jackson; representative to Sunbury orphanage, Percival Rudy; treasurer, N. N. Hartswick.

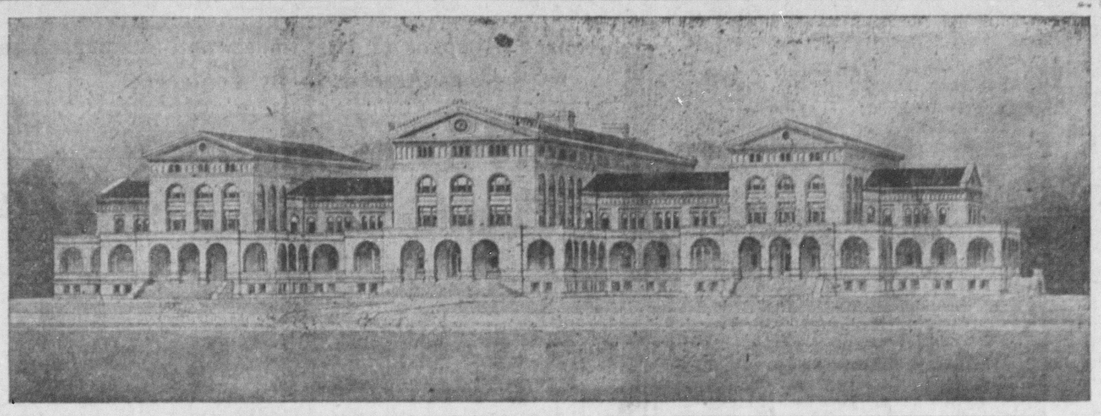
CENTRE HALL.

Noble grand, J. C. Brooks; vice grand, Wm. B. Fiedler; secretary, Thomas L. Moore; treasurer, E. W. Crawford; right and left supporters to noble grand, E. W. Crawford, George H. Emerick; warden, L. L. Smith; conductor, John DeLaney; inside guard, John Lucas; outside guard, J. W. Whiteman; right and left supporters vice grand, William Houser, John Heckman; R. S. S., Edward Wiser; L. S. S., M. L. Emerick.

Members from Boalsburg, Spring Mills, Rebersburg, and Lemont lodges were present.

The lodge is in a flourishing condition, and during the past year twenty-two members were added. After the installation ceremony a lunch was served, and all enjoyed this social feature.

Scientific gentlemen tell us that the October fly is in many respects the most formidable and dangerous of the lot. Swat him wherever you see him.



Home for Aged and Orphaned of the Order of Knights of Malta, Granville, Mifflin County, Pa.

In the course of an article upon the Knights of Malta, a Chambersburg citizen for the first time reveals the plans of the order which will mean much to Central Pennsylvania. At Granville the organization has purchased a large tract of land and there it is proposed to erect a beautifully designed structure to house the aged, infirm and orphaned of the order. The Centre Reporter is indebted to the Franklin Repository of Chambersburg for the article and to J. T. Sembower, of the Home and Hospital Association, Uniontown, for the accompanying cut of the proposed building.

To the student of history the Knights of Malta needs no introduction, as history reveals to us beyond a question of a doubt that the Knights of Malta are the only legal descendants of the Ancient Knights of Hospitallers of St. John of Jerusalem. Neither do we need to go into detail and explain what this Order has been doing for more than eight hundred years. There are, however, some parts of the history that we will make mention of to show to you more clearly what the

Hall of the Bear Meadows Commandery, at Boalsburg, Pa.

Order is doing on this continent today in endeavoring to perpetuate the fundamental principles of the Order.

It was during the eleventh century, at a time when a vast multitude of people believed that if they could make a pilgrimage to Jerusalem and there bow down at the Holy Sepulchre of our Lord and Master that they would receive a special remission of their sins, as well as a special blessing. Whether or not their belief in this was well founded is a question that neither you nor I have any right to pass upon, however, we are forced to the conclusion that beyond a shadow of a doubt that they believed it was right, and that they would receive the remission of their sins, as well as the additional blessing.

During the year of 1048, when some of the Latin merchants of the Kingdom of Naples journeyed to Egypt on their annual trading expeditions, held what we might term today an indignation meeting. For years past they had known of the hardships and difficulties through which these pilgrims were forced to pass, and at this meeting they decided that if they could get permission from the Infidel Rulers, then in control of the Holy city, they would erect a Home and Hospices. These Homes and Hospices were to be used solely for the entertainment and care of Pilgrims who had become sick or otherwise disabled by reason of the journey, and this too without cost to the Pilgrims. It would indeed require a very lengthy article to go into details and follow up this grand and noble work started by a few individuals. But to you who have read their history you have found beyond a question of a doubt that the men who founded our organization and furnished the money to build the building and maintain the same until the cold and sleepy world could awaken, fully realize the beauty and grandeur of these men. And to you who have not read, it will be worth your while to read and then you will not wonder why the Knights of Malta of today are endeavoring, at least in a measure, to carry out the fundamental principles of our Order.

To this end the Knights of Malta of Pennsylvania are laboring, and sometime since by a unanimous vote of its Grand Body, decided that they would erect and maintain a home for the aged, infirm and orphans. A committee was appointed to select a farm suitable for the carrying out of this project. After they inspected quite a number of farms they recommended the purchasing of a farm consisting of one hundred and thirty acres, located at Granville, Mifflin county. The said farm abuts on the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, running East and West. This farm the committee considered to be by far the best by reason of its natural resources, and beautiful scenery, as well as being centrally located. The farm slopes gradually to the railroad, and from the spot on which will be erected our Home and Hospital one gets an excellent view of the blue Juniata, as well as the railroads as they wind their way down the valley for almost ten miles Raising your eyes from this you get a view of one spur of the Jack Mountains dotted along the side with white sand banks and foot hills, which makes a beautiful scene.

The committee recommended the purchasing of this farm, and they were later authorized to buy the same.

A Board of Governors has been selected for the purpose of raising funds, preparing of the plans, rules and regulations, and the erection of the building. Plans have been submitted, adopted, and are now ready to be submitted to builders for their estimates. We have been very successful in the collection of money. It is our intention to spend about $150,000 for the erection of the building, water plant, and improvements to the farm.

This building when completed will be maintained by the Order of Knights of Malta, and the rules as adopted show it to be an unsectarian institution, and there will be four classifications. First, any companion on this Continent, his widow or orphans, unable to support himself or herself, will be admitted on the recommendation of his own commandery. Second, for members of the Order or their families who are able to pay in part the cost of their maintenance, the said amount to be agreed upon by the parties making application and the Board of Governors. Classification third makes provision for any who are in no way connected with our Order, regardless of nationality or creed, and these may be admitted upon recommendation of the Commandery nearest the Home. Classification four is for the admission of any person or persons who need the care and protection of a home of this character, and can pay for their own maintenance.

Underwood a Presidential Possibility.

From the Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Underwood has made his home run, and it is likely to land him in the Senate. He's a stronger Presidential candidate now than he was a year ago, but he is young enough to wait for the proper time. Mr. Glass stands an excellent chance of making the the next home run, and then Congress may be allowed to take a recess and recuperate in anticipation of the regular session. In the line of constructive statesmanship the Democratic party is in a fair way to make a new record. All that the Republican leaders were capable of was standing pat. But the country refuses to stand pat.

Mrs. L. W. S. Person will be at the residence of Mrs. Margaret Strohm, in Centre Hall, from the 17th to the 21st of October, with a complete showing of the latest New York styles in Fall and Winter millinery.

Brings results—a Reporter ad.

LEADERSHIP OF THE HIGHEST TYPE.

Wilson As Party Leader is Eulogized by Speaker Clark.

It was a deserved tribute which Speaker Clark, from the floor of the House of Representatives, paid to President Wilson. He denied the assertion that the President had unduly influenced Congress in tariff legislation. He congratulated the Chief Magistrate upon the part that he had taken in the great work. He gave very sincere indorsement to the legitimate influence of the Executive.

In spite of some ill-natured criticism of Mr. Wilson, there has been nothing to show a single misstep on his part. He has not used official patronage either as a bribe or a club. He has indulged in no threats. He has addressed himself wholly to Congress. In public speech as in private conference he has appealed only to reason and conscience.

The President is the head of the National Government, but he is also the head of his party. Failure to recognize this fact in either case would be only to invite disaster. In Mr. Wilson's relations with his fellow-Democrats in Congress there has been true co-operation, with nothing fixed or arbitrary except principles and pledges.

Political leadership of the highest type is so rare that Speaker Clark honored his party and himself no less than the President when he eulogized it.

Local Editor Marries

Edward L. Gates, for several years local editor on the Keystone Gazette, and Miss Martha Adaline Shutt, a linotype operator in the same office, were married on Thursday morning, the ceremony having been performed by Rev. A. M. Schmidt, D. D. The Reporter extends its best wishes to the young couple.

Most Too Bad to Publish.

From Middleburg Post.

If a good business man needed thirteen stoves to heat his building, would he waste fuel on thirteen stoves or buy a furnace? There are thirteen stoves in the court house, and one of those is owned by the prothonotary.

Official returns of Snyder county show that thirty per cent of the voters at the last election were candidates for office.

Millinery Opening Friday.

Keep in mind that on Thursday and Friday, Mrs. Lucy Henney will have her millinery opening at her store in Centre Hall. The styles this fall are very pretty, and more becoming than ever. You will want to see the complete stock, and to do so you must call on the opening day or soon after.

Just a word about prices: You will find these goods of the best grade and at prices that cannot be met anywhere in the county. An inspection of the stock, and a look at the cost tags will prove this.

Newspaper Dynamited.

"The Potter Enterprise," published at Coudersport, a newspaper of high standing for many years, was dynamited early on Thursday morning. The Enterprise is a Washington party paper, and has been very aggressive. It strongly opposed the renomination of Judge O'merod, a Republican, and supported with as much fervor A. S. Heck. Both names will be on the ticket as a result of the hot contest.

The newspaper plant was greatly damaged, a portion of the building having been blown out. The Enterprise and the county commissioners have each offered a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the dynamiters.

The aggressive newspaper is hated everywhere by dirty politicians, by grafters, by thugs, thieves and robbers, but neither threats, use of dynamite, fire, stiletto, or gun will silence the man with the pen, for the true newspaper man fears neither the devil or his agents.

PAUL HARSHBERGER DROWNED.

Young Man Went to River to Fish, and Was Found Dead On Bank One Week Later.

The body of Joseph Paul Harshbarger, twenty years old, son of Jacob Harshberger, of Huntingdon, who had been missing from home for just one week, was found lying face up in the weeds in the Juniata river close to the shore, by David Price of Mifflin street, shortly after seven o'clock Friday morning.

Price is one of the several neighbors of Jacob Harshbarger, who had been on the lookout for the young man since his disappearance. Price went to the river with a rake, and found near the mooring place of Jacob Zillous's boats just above 19th street, a small string of eels that bore evidence of having been there for some time. This made Price think that he must be close to where young Harshbarger had been, and looking farther down the river, about fifty feet he found the body, lying in the grass a few feet out from the shore.

The Pennsylvania shifting crew were working just above where Price found the body and he attracted the attention of Mac Wilson, its conductor. Wilson telephoned to J. W. Kauffman, who with officer Frank Ernest went to where the body was found. As the young man was on railroad property Mr. Kauffman took charge of the affair and telephoned to Brown's undertaking establishment, instructions to take charge of the body; which was later taken to Brown Brother's morgue.

Jacob Harshberger, Paul's father, is of the opinion that Paul must have been fishing from the stern of one of Jacob Zillous's boats, have been taken with one of his nervous attacks, fallen into the river, and drowned before he recovered. Additional strength is lent to this theory by the fact that usually when he had nervous attacks they came in threes, and he had had two before he left home.

Coroner Dr. F. L. Schum viewed the body at the Brown morgue and decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Young Harshbarger is survived by his father, and the following brothers and sisters: George, of Nittany, Centre county; Henry, of Ney, Ohio; Irvin, of Melvin, Illinois; Burton, of Dewey, Illinois; Mrs. Harry Hetrick, Fifth street, Huntingdon, and Ethel at home.

What's Wrong with the Automobile?

Very frequently red liquor in the chauffeur, or the company, or both. An automobile will occasionally go wrong of its own accord, but men who have a familiar acquaintance with it say that in a very considerable majority of instances where bad accidents happen it is more sinned against than sinning. Liquor and a high power machine do not go well together.

It has been demonstrated quite conclusively by careful and protracted scientific investigation that even a half teaspoonful of whisky will affect injuriously the person who swallows it. The men who have made these studies are cold-blooded investigators and all they sought was truth. How adventurous must be those who will submit their lives to the custody of one who has taken many teaspoonfuls of liquor and whose brain has been fatally muddled by the enemy he admitted by way of his mouth. Various states and cities have begun to legislate against the drunken chauffeur, and the terrible records he has made warrant the wide extension of such righteous laws.

Shares the Reporter's Views.

From the Altoona Tribune.

Everybody is favorable to good roads; whatever division of sentiment may exist concerns the wisdom of accumulating a bonded debt for that purpose when the reports of the state treasury from month to month show a large balance—always exceeding $7,000,000.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

The doctor seldom tells a chronic kicker that he needs more exercise.

Today, October 9th, has been officially designated as Fire Prevention Day.

How many local happenings have you told the Reporter of during the past year?

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Finkle have changed their residence from Corning New York, to Buffalo.

Harry Harper has moved from Bellefonte to Centre Hall and is living in the Harper home on Church street.

About the only thing a man feels sorry for when he steals a kiss from a pretty girl is that he did not begin sooner.

R. F. VonNeida has changed his residence from Hershey to Freeport, Illinois, in which city he will spend the winter.

Mrs. James P. Herring is visiting her brothers and sisters in and about Centre Hall.

Thursday and Friday are the days for the millinery opening at Mrs. Lucy Henney's millinery store in Centre Hall. Do not fail to call on that day, or as soon thereafter as possible.

Rev. J. A. Horner has been located at Port Allegany, McKean county, by the conference of his church. He was formerly stationed at Youngville, Warren county.

Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Dale were in Philadelphia, last week, where the doctor attended the sessions of the State Medical society, which held its meetings in the Bellevue-Stratford hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weaver of Pennsylvania Furnace, and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Emerick of Altoona attended the funeral of Howard Fetterolf. The ladies are sisters of the deceased.

Mrs. Tinie Fortney, widow of Rev. William G. Fortney, is visiting friends in Pine Grove Mills. During the seventies Mrs. Fortney and her husband lived in Centre Hall, where the latter taught school.

John C. Rossman is having his barn raised in order to be able to store the crops raised on the additional land he purchased from B. H. Arney. The work is being done by Messrs. Fiedler, Showers and Carter.

The Lutheran congregation in Bellefonte has secured a pastor in the person of Rev. William M. B. Glanding, D. D., of Syracuse N. Y., and last Sunday he held his first service. Dr. Glanding is an eloquent speaker.

Hon. H. W. Shoemaker advertises for a trio of old-fashioned Creeley chickens. Mr. Shoemaker has a summer home at Riverside, Connecticut, and wants to make it more like a real country home by adding the old-fashioned birds.

This personal is taken from the Mifflinburg Telegraph: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Lontz and two children and Mrs. Irene Ringler enjoyed an auto ride in the former's auto, last Sunday, to Spring Mills, where they spent the day pleasantly with Mr. Lontz's mother, Mrs. Jerry Snavely.

The Millheim Journal announced in its last week's issue that F. P. Musser resigned his position as editor on that paper. He had been connected with the Journal for twelve years. His resignation is due to failing eye sight. He will devote his time to the office of justice of the peace.

Rev. George J. Colledge of Spring Mills made his first call on the Reporter the latter part of last week. He succeeds Rev. J. Max Lantz as pastor on the Penns Valley Methodist charge, and has been on the field for several months. He is a single man, and just now is occupying the parsonage at Spring Mills, but later will live at Millheim, and will board.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wix of Penbrook were guests of Mrs. Mary Shoop, mother of the former. Mr. Wix is landlord of Paxtonia Inn, a popular resort in Dauphin county. Many years ago, Mr. Wix was a compositor in a newspaper office in Juniata county, but gave up the stick and rule long ago to engage in more profitable business. It is at the home of her son that Mrs. Shoop spends much of her time when not at Centre Hall.

A movement to unite all the Snyders in the state in a family association has been started in Altoona by Simon R. Snyder, a former Councilman, and David L. Snyder, a train dispatcher. For the past three years the clan in Blair county has held outings, the last of which was held at Loysburg. At this meeting arrangements were made for next year's outing, and such good fellowship was evinced that the Snyders felt encouraged to start the State-wide movement.

"BIG DITCH" NOW ALMOST COMPLETE

Removal of Gamboa Dike Means End of Work Is Near.

WATERS OF OCEANS MEET

First Steps Are Taken Toward Destruction of Big Embankment Which Holds Gatun Lake Out of Culebra Cut.

Colon, Panama, Oct. 1.—The climax of nine years of untiring work on the part of the men who have been building the Panama canal came today when the waters of Gatun lake were permitted to run for the first time into the Culebra cut. This simple operation marked the virtual completion of the great isthmian waterway.

The water was permitted to flow into the cut today through four 26-inch pipes extending through the Gamboa dike, which has held the waters of the lake back from the cut. This was done in order that there may be enough water in the cut to prevent any damage when the dike is finally removed.

The final destruction of the big dike is scheduled for October 10, when charges of dynamite placed in holes already drilled in the dike will be exploded. The explosion of these charges will not completely destroy the dike, but will weaken it and loosen the dirt so that the force of the waters from Gatun lake will carry it away. Steam shovels will remove the remnants of the dike, leaving an open passageway from ocean to ocean.

Canal Really Complete Now.

Although the canal will not be officially declared completed for some time, and the formal opening of the waterway to the commerce of the world more than a year distant, the canal engineers look upon the destruction of the Gamboa dike as marking the real completion of the canal. The big engineering feats have all been accomplished, the excavation work practically has been completed, and the great locks have been constructed. The work that remains to be done is largely detail, and is but child's play as compared with that which has been done. More dirt is to be removed from the channel, but this will be done with suction dredges floating upon the waters of the canal. There still remain some finishing touches to be placed upon the locks, but this work will take comparatively little time and presents no engineering difficulties such as have been encountered in the past.

The fact that the canal stands practically complete more than a year before the time originally set as the date for its completion is one of the remarkable features of the work. When Count de Lesseps, the great French engineer, abandoned his efforts to build the Panama canal after eight years of labor, he had scarcely made a beginning upon the gigantic task. In nine years, the American engineers, starting almost at the same point as de Lesseps, for the latter's work was of little value to the Americans, have virtually completed the undertaking. When the work was started the world scoffed at the idea that it could be completed within the time limit set, but hats are now off to the American army engineers who have more than kept their word, despite unforeseen difficulties that have beset them at every hand.

Goethals to Make Final Test.

The first vessel to pass through the canal probably will be a boat of the Isthmian canal commission, Col. George W. Goethals, chairman of the commission and chief engineer of the canal, and his principal assistants. The final voyage through the canal is scheduled for some time during this month. Within another month it is expected the waters in Gatun lake will have risen high enough to bring the waters in the entire canal up to the deep water level required for the passage of the largest ships.

It is said that as long ago as the early part of August, assurances were given Washington officially that if the emergency should arise, the entire Atlantic battleship fleet could be put through the canal into Pacific waters within 60 days from that date. The work has been hurried with that end in view, it is said, as no emergency has existed, but this assurance is an indication of the belief of the engineers that their work is now practically finished.

Culebra Cut Caused Trouble.

The excavation of the Culebra cut, into which the water has just been turned, has been one of the engineering feats connected with the building of the canal, and has caused the engineers more trouble than any other portion of the big "ditch." To Col. D. D. Gaillard, the engineer of the central division, is given the credit for carrying this portion of the work through to a successful termination.

The disastrous slides in the cut were discouraging to the engineers, nullifying in a few hours the work of many weeks, but Colonel Gaillard and his assistants have kept untiringly at their work, and at last have conquered the treacherous banks of the deep cut. The engineers believe that the danger of slides will be eliminated now that the water has been turned into the cut.

A little more than a month ago the giant steam shovels finished their work in the Culebra cut. Since that time the workmen have been busy removing the shovels, the railroad tracks and other machinery used in the excavation work. There is still some dirt to be removed from the cut before the channel is finished, but this work will be done by suction dredges floating on the waters of the canal, and will not interfere with navigation of the waterway by such boats as may be allowed to pass through.

Immense Artificial Lake Created.

Gatun lake, the waters of which are now flowing into the Culebra cut, is the pivotal point about which the entire canal system revolves, and the creation of this lake, together with the construction of Gatun dam, constituted another great engineering feat in the construction of the canal. Gatun lake is an artificial body of water covering about 164 square miles of territory and was created by the building of the immense Gatun dam and the impounding of the wild waters of Chagres river. Beneath the waters of Gatun lake lies what a few months ago was the valley of the Chagres, dotted with native villages and plantations. The channel of the canal passes through this lake for a distance of 24 miles with a width varying from 500 to 1,000 feet.

At the northern end of the lake is the Gatun dam, which is in reality an artificial ridge more than a mile and a half long. Figures alone give an adequate idea of the magnitude of this dam. Nearly half a mile wide at its base, about 400 feet wide at the water surface, and 100 feet wide at the top, the dike which many engineers predicted would never withstand the rush of the Chagres' waters, is admitted now to be so strong that nothing short of an earthquake such as has never been known in the Central American region can harm it. The Gatun dam, Gatun lake and the Culebra cut, so gigantic are the proportions of each, dwarf the other engineering works of the canal that in themselves have challenged the admiration of the world.

World Gives Goethals Credit.

To Col. George Goethals, chairman of the Isthmian canal commission, chief engineer of the commission and governor of the canal zone, the world will give the credit for the successful completion of the Panama canal. Colonel Goethals could not have accomplished his task without the assistance of such men as Col. H. F. Hodges, Lieut. Col. David Du B. Gaillard and Lieut. Col. William L. Sibert, army engineers, who have had charge of various phases of the work, but Colonel Goethals is recognized as the real builder of the canal.

Under Colonel Goethals the greater part of the $375,000,000 which the canal will have cost when it is completed has been spent. It has been by far the costliest engineering project in the world. Nearly three-fifths of a billion dollars has been spent in digging a 40-mile "ditch." This means that the Panama canal has cost the United States $10,000,000 a mile.

Over $16,000,000 of the total amount spent has been used to make the canal zone habitable and sanitary. It has been suggested that this is an enormous amount of money to spend in cleaning up a place in which few people will reside permanently, but the engineers say that the sanitation of the canal zone was the chief factor in making the canal a reality. The failure of the French has been attributed to a large extent to the fact that the workmen could not survive in the fever and pest ridden country.

The building of the great locks which raise a vessel to a height of 87 feet above sea level at one end of the canal and lower it the same distance at the other end, has been in charge of two of Colonel Goethals' assistants, Colonel Hodges and Lieutenant Colonel Sibert. Colonel Hodges' work in installing the immense lock-gates that form so important a part of the operating machinery of the canal, and his ability to overcome all obstacles had led Colonel Goethals to call him a genius. The building, poising and operation of the lock gates constitute one of the delicate problems of lock canal construction, and the proper handling of this problem has been Colonel Hodges' contribution to the work of construction of the canal.

Lieutenant Colonel Sibert has had charge of the building of the great dam and locks at Gatun, in addition to other duties. He saw long, active service in the Philippines, and he is known in the army as a fighter as well as an engineer. His fighting qualities have enabled him to carry through the great work of which he has had charge in the canal zone.

Realize Dream of Centuries.

Through the work of these men—all of them members of Uncle Sam's fighting body—the United States has been able to attain what has been in truth the dream of centuries. In nine years these men have carried through an undertaking that was first thought of several hundreds of years ago. There is evidence that the idea of an isthmian canal was born as early as the sixteenth century, for history records the fact that the Inquisition declared such a project to alter the face of the earth to be impious and further discussion of the matter was forbidden by Philip II. of Spain, whose reign began in 1556. More than a century later a Scotchman named Patterson revived the scheme, established a colony on the shores of the isthmus, and made a crude survey of the route.

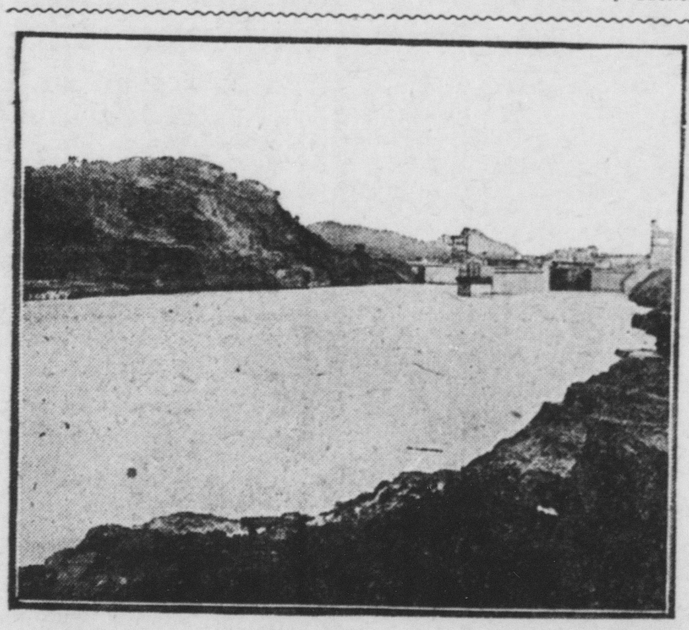
The United States government first took definite action looking toward the construction of an isthmian canal in 1834, when the senate voted for the building of a Nicaraguan canal. An expedition was sent to Nicaragua to make an investigation, and reported that the canal could be constructed for $25,000,000, hardly one-twentieth of the amount that the Panama canal will have cost when completed.

De Lesseps First to Dig.

The matter rested until after the Civil war, when negotiations for a canal commission were entered into by the United States government. Before anything had been accomplished the concession for a Panama canal had been given to Lucien Napoleon Banaparte Wyse, a Frenchman. He organized a company, which sold out later to the financiers associated with Ferdinand de Lesseps. The company organized with de Lesseps at its head was the first one to actually begin operations on the isthmus. For eight years de Lesseps struggled manfully against the greatest odds that man ever was called upon to face.

Such was the history of the isthmian canal project for some 300 or 400 years, until the day in 1904 when Uncle Sam undertook the task.

In nine years the dream of the centuries has been realized.



This picture gives a view of the great expanse of water now gradually filling the Panama canal, which is almost ready for the admission of the big ships. To look at the picture one would think that the canal was finished. The embankments that flank the channel, the broad expanse of water and the Miraflores locks in the distance are just as they will be when the opening of the canal takes place. This is the only photograph received up to the present time which shows the canal as it will appear at the opening of the big waterway connecting the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

To Avoid Counterfeiting.

In the production of their notes, the Bank of England authorities' chief aim is to issue a note which is impossible for anybody to counterfeit. Toward this end, all the parts of the note—the paper, the watermark, the ink, the engraving, the printing—are prepared and done in a special, and, as far as possible, secret manner. At the mills where the paper is manufactured the most stringent precautions are taken to prevent any of the paper being stolen. Of course, there have been many attempted robberies, but only once, in the year 1862, were thieves successful in obtaining any of the paper. Very shortly afterward forged notes were in circulation. The thieves did not enjoy the triumph long, for within a short time they were captured.

Reading Between the Lines.

To get the good of the library in the school of life you must bring into it something better than a mere bookish taste. You must bring the power to read between the lines, behind the words, beyond the horizon of the printed page. Philip's question to the chamberlain of Ethiopia was crucial: "Understandest thou what thou readest?" I want books not to pass the time, but to fill it with beautiful thoughts and images, to enlarge my world, to give me new friends in the spirit, to purify my ideals and make them clear, to show me the local color of unknown regions and the bright stars of universal truth.—Henry Van Dyke.

NEW TARIFF LAW PASSED

Epitomized Account of the Underwood-Simmons Measure as Agreed to By Conferees

SENATE ENLARGES HOUSE FREE LIST

WASHINGTON.—The twenty years' tariff war reached its final stage in Congress, when Chairman Underwood of the Ways and Means Committee laid before the House the report of the conferees and announced that the differences between the Senate and House bills had been compromised.

It is the second low tariff measure that has been passed in more than 65 years.

The average ad valorem rate of the present bill is very much lower than that of the Wilson-Gorman act. The average rate of the latter was 39.45 per cent., while the estimated rate of the present bill ranges from 27 to 29 per cent. The average for the present Payne-Aldrich law is 40.12 per cent.

Senator Simmons said, after a report from the Treasury experts, that for the first full fiscal year the measure would yield a surplus of $18,000,000.

Among the 675 amendments made in the Senate, many related merely to verbiage. The House yielded on 427 and the Senate abandoned 151. Compromises were effected on 97.

The general trend of the Senate amendments was in the direction of reduced duties. Expressed in percentage the Senate bill when reported reduced duties 27.64 below the existing law and 4.22 per cent. below the House bill as it had come to the Senate.

The result of the conference report has been a slight increase of the ad valorem rate of duty carried by the bill, but the net result is below the average ad valorem rate of the House bill. Thus for the first time in the history of tariff legislation the Senate has gone on record in favor of lower duties in a tariff bill than those adopted by the House.

The most important features of the new bill are those which led to the greatest struggle in both the Senate and House Democratic caucuses. They related to the free listing of wool and of sugar. Except for the strong insistence of President Wilson it is likely that the Senate would have restored a revenue duty on both wool and sugar. Raw wool will go on the free list December 1 and sugar will be free after May 1, 1916.

The existing duties on sugar under the Payne-Aldrich law will continue until March 1, 1914, then the lower rates carried by the new law will become effective and continue until May 1, 1916, after which date sugar will go on the free list automatically. All other rates in the bill will go into effect as soon as it is signed.

In restoring to the free list alizarin, lead or creosote oil, anthracine and anthracine oil, the Senate followed the existing law, which gives to the manufacturers of certain textiles the benefits of free dyes used in the industry. The House had made them dutiable for revenue purposes. The Senate made them free on the theory that the textile products had been made to pay less duty and that the manufacturers should have the raw material free.

The cyanides were transferred to the free list because they are used largely in mining and are raw material for other American industries. Both the Senate and House agreed that tanning materials, such as extracts, should go upon the free list because the products of the tanneries, sole leather and other leathers of the coarser kind that enter into the manufacture of boots and shoes, harness and saddles were all free listed.

The Democrats put cements and other building material, including lumber and shingles upon the free list. Pig iron and ferromanganese, billets and ingots for railway wheels, together with antimony ore, were put on the free list.

Automobiles will pay about 30 per cent., which was a reduction of one-third from the House rate. Cattle, sheep and all domestic animals suitable for food, and wheat, flour and eggs were put on the free list. This was to conform with the tariff policy of reducing the cost of living.

The five per cent. rebate in tariff made in the House bill on goods brought in American ships was retained in the conference, with the added provisions that it would not "be so construed as to abrogate or in any manner impair or affect the provisions of any treaty" the United States now has.

The administrative features as embodied in the House bill emerged from conference but little changed.

The conference adopted a substitute for the Senaate amendment to check fraudulent invoices. This provides that the arrival within the territorial limits of the United States of any merchandise consigned for sale and remaining the property of the shipper, and the acceptance of a fraudulent invoice by the consignee or agent of the consignor shall be deemed an attempt to enter such merchandise whether or not actual entry is made or offered.

The Senate amendment requiring statements of cost on merchandise contracted for, as well as on that actually purchased, was stricken out.

The conference agreed to the Senate amendment authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Commerce to require importers to furnish more detailed information on shipments for statistical purposes.

Undervaluation Penalty.

The Senate receded from the amendment allowing a margin of 5 per cent. undervaluation without penalty and limiting forfeiture of the particular goods undervalued. The bill imposes an additional duty of 1 per cent. on undervalued goods.

Offsettting this, the conference adopted the Senate amendment authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to assess the duty on less than the entered value when satisfied that the importer has in good faith at the time of the entry certified the entered value above the market value.

The conference restored the House provision authorizing the Board of General Appraisers to exercise both judicial and inquisitorial functions in customs examinations, and struck out of the Senate amendment the provision excluding hearsay evidence. Senate amendments were agreed to prohibiting contingent fees in customs cases and striking out the provision of the House bill, limiting protests to a single article and issue.

The House provision, to authorize collectors of customs summarily to fine importers for failure to produce books and records was stricken out.

The House provision placing the burden of proof on the defendant in suits for the recovery of the value of merchandise fraudulently imported was restored after having been stricken out by the Senate.

House provision requiring shippers and importers to produce their books to authorized agents of the government adopted with an amendment authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to impose additional duties in case of refusal, instead of the House provision authorizing him to exclude the merchandise from entry.

The Senate amendment authorizing the President to impose countervailing duties was stricken out.

Reciprocity Feature.

The President is authorized to negotiate trade treaties with foreign countries subject to approval by Congress.

By a conference substitute Section eight of the treaty with Cuba, dealing with the preferential on sugar, is specifically abrogated. With this exception, the reciprocal trade treaty with Cuba stands.

Free importation of articles from the Philippines was limited by the conference to such as contain not more than 20 per cent. of foreign material, the Senate amendment limiting free entry to such Philippine goods as are shipped under a through bill of lading being rejected.

The Senate, through its conferees, receded from its amendment prohibiting the importation of goods manufactured principally by children under fourteen years of age.

Other conference changes were as follows:

Importations of models of women's wearing apparel for use of manufacturers in their own establishments is permitted.

Foreign material for the construction of repair of naval vessels of the United States may be imported free.

Cigars may be manufactured in a bonded warehouse and withdrawn for consumption in the United States upon payment of the duty on the tobacco used in its imported condition and the internal revenue cigar tax.

Farmers and fruit growers may manufacture alcohol free of tax for denaturizing.

The Steel Trust was the combination hardest hit by the conferees. Iron ore was placed on the free list, in the hope of inviting Cuban and South American competition. The Steel Trust and its subsidiaries now hold virtually all the marketable ore in the country. The removal of duty is expected to make it possible for independents to enter the steel business with some hope of overcoming the trust's handicap.

Blow at the Beef Trust.

The Beef Trust fared in the same manner. As a result of the placing of cattle on the free list, South American nations are expected to develop a cattle raising business for the purpose of helping to feed North Americans. The entry of South American beef is expected to cut the price of meats, notwithstanding the prophecies of the beef barons that the price will continue to soar.

The Woolen Trust was sheared of the protection which has enabled it to keep foreign-made goods out of the country, while the sheep raisers of the West will have to meet the wool from Australia and other countries that will enter on a free-trade basis.

The system of maintaining high prices on eggs through the operation of a nation-wide cold storage system will be compelled to change its plan or meet the importation of eggs free of duty.

The most vital changes made by the conferees are given in the following recapitulation:

House rates on photographic, surveying, opera glasses and similar instruments were reduced. Cement, asphalt and limestone were placed on the free list.

Pig iron, scrap iron and ferromanganese, used in making high-priced steel, were free listed. Steel products rates were generally reduced. House rates on zinc were increased.

Postponement of the placing of sugar on the free list was agreed upon.

All duty was removed from cattle, sheep and other food animals, wheat and its products and eggs. House duties on oats, butter, beets, peas, currants, chocolate and cocoa were cut.

To Reduce Cost of Living.

As compared with the original House bill these specific reductions were made by the conferees on food and food-stuffs:

All meat animals free; wheat, taxed 10 cents a bushel in the House, free; sugar and molasses, free within a short time; oats, from 10 to 6 cents a bushel; butter, from 3 to 2½ cents a pound; beets, from 10 to 5 per cent; eggs, free instead of 2 cents a dozen; storage eggs, from 2½ to 2 cents a pound; peas, from 15 to 10 cents a bushel; seeds, from 10 to 5 cents a pound; bananas, free; chocolate and cocoa from 25 per cent. ad valorem, to 2 cents a pound.

To Save $1,000,000,000 a Year.

In preparing estimates on the bill, Mr. Underwood figured that it will save consumers approximately $1,000,000,000 annually. The free list alone should save approximately $500,000,000 annually, he estimated.

ADMINISTRATIVE FEATURES.

General Provisions Governing the Levying of the New Rates.

WASHINGTON—The administrative features of the bill are very comprehensive. In their preparation the Ways and Means Committee and the Finance Committee studied the reports of two Government commissions, and another report from the General Board of Customs Appraisers.

Under the new legal regulations all merchandise imported into the United States is held to be the property of the person to whom it is consigned or who holds the bill of lading.

Invoices shall be made out in the currency of the country where the merchandise is made or purchased, or agreed to be purchased, and shall contain a description of the merchandise. It is required that a statement shall be made in the invoice of the purchase price agreed upon, and that transactions that are actual purchases and sales shall be entered as such. Invoices shall have entered thereon a statement signed by the purchaser or owner setting forth that the invoice is correct. If it is a bill of sale the price agreed upon shall be stated. When obtained in any other manner than by purchase the wholesale price in the markets of the country of export shall be stated. This paragraph follows, in large measure, provision of Section 3 of the Payne law, except for the insertion of the words, "or when purchases are made in several places in the Consular district, where the merchandise is assembled for shipment," and makes changes with reference to agreements to purchase.

The conferees rewrote a provision in this section. It provides that when merchandise arrives in the United States and remains the property of the shipper, or consignor, the acceptance of a fraudulent or false invoice thereof by the consignee or his agent or the existence of any other facts constituting an attempted fraud shall be deemed an attempt to enter such merchandise, notwithstanding no actual entry has been made or offered.

REDUCTIONS ON ESSENTIALS.

Sundries.

Wearing apparel for which cattle, dog or goat skins are used, from 50 to 15 per cent.

Bags, sachels, pocketbooks, etc., from 47.23 to 30 per cent.

India rubber and manufactures thereof, known as druggists' sundries, from 40 per cent. to 15 per cent.

Cotton Manufactures.

Spool thread cotton, from 36 cents a dozen spools to 15 per cent. ad valorem.

Handkerchiefs or mufflers, not hemmed, from 45 per cent. to 25 per cent; hemmed, from 55 per cent. to 30 per cent.

Silks and Silk Goods.

Silk partly manufactured and not further advanced than carded or combed, from 35 cents a pound to 20 cents a pound.

Wool Manufacturers.

Blankets and flannels from 72.69 per cent. to 25 per cent.

Carpets of every description from 58.10 per cent. to 50 per cent.

Clothing.

Gloves, from 44 per cent. ad valorem to $2 a dozen.

Woolen goods, from 11 cents a pound to free list.

Hats and bonnets of fur, from 51 per cent. to 45 per cent.

Bags, satchels and pocketbooks, from 47.33 per cent. to 30 per cent.

Children's gloves, from 44.15 per cent. to $2 per dozen.

Pearl buttons, from 48 per cent. to 25 per cent.

WILL FILL MARKET BASKET WITH FREE LIST EDIBLES

As compromised from the Senate and House provisions, the final duties adopted are as follows:

	House.	Senate.	Conference.
Cattle	10 p.c.	Free	Free
Horses and mules valued at less than $200 each	$15	10 p.c.	10 p.c.
Sheep	10 p.c.	Free	Free
Rice flour and meal	½c. lb.	½c. lb.	½c. lb.
Wheat	10c. bu.	Free	Free
Butter	2c. lb.	2½c. lb.	2½c. lb.
Cheese	20 p.c.	2½c. lb.	20 p.c.
Eggs	2c. doz.	Free	Free
Frozen eggs	2½c. lb.	2c. lb.	2c. lb.
Peas, green or dried	15c. bu.	10c. bu.	10c. bu.
Bananas	Free	1-10c. lb.	Free
Chocolate and cocoa, sweetened	25 p.c.	2c. lb.	2c. lb.
Clothing, etc., of cotton, in combination with flax, etc.	30 p.c.	35 p.c.	30 p.c.
Shirt collars, cuffs, cotton	25 p.c.	30 p.c.	30 p.c.
Cotton stockings, hose and half-hose	40 p.c.	30 p.c.	30 p.c.
Do., valued 70c. to $1.50	50 p.c.	50 p.c.	40 p.c.
Wool stockings	35 p.c.	30 p.c.	20 p.c.
Wool flannels (over 50c. lb.)	35 p.c.	25 p.c.	50 p.c.
Books for children's use	12 p.c.	4c. lb.	4c. lb.
Booklets	12 p.c.	7c. lb.	7c. lb.
Text books for schools	15 p.c.	Free	Free
Paintings and statuary less than 20 years old	Free	25 p.c.	Free
Wool or cotton blankets, valued less than 40c. lb.	25 p.c.	Free	25 p.c.
Automobiles, value $1,000 to $2,000	45 p.c.	30 p.c.	30 p.c.
Automobiles less than $1,000	45 p.c.	15 p.c.	30 p.c.

FOOD SCHEDULE CHANGES.

Oatmeal and rolled oats, from 1 cent a pound to 30 cents a hundred pounds.

Butter and substitutes, from 6 per cent. to 2½ cents a pound.

Cheese and substitutes, from 31.79 per cent. to 20 per cent.

Onions, from 40 cents to 20 cents a bushel of 57 pounds.

Peas, from 25 cents to 10 cents a bushel.

Chocolate and cocoa, prepared or manufactured, from 21.50 per cent. to 2 cents a pound.

Cattle from $2 a head to free list.

SECRET SERVICE

BEING THE HAPPENINGS OF A NIGHT IN RICHMOND IN THE SPRING OF 1865

THE PLAY BY

WILLIAM GILLETTE;

BY CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY

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SYNOPSIS.

Mrs. Varney, wife of a Confederate general, has lost one son and another is dying from wounds. She reluctantly gives her consent for Wilfred, the youngest, to join the army if his father consents. The federals are making their last assault in an effort to capture Richmond. Edith Varney secures from President Davis a commission for Capt. Thorne, who is just recovering from wounds, as chief of the telegraph at Richmond. Capt. Thorne tells Edith he has been ordered away. She declares he must not go and tells him of the commission from the president. He is strangely agitated and declares he cannot accept. Thorne decides to escape while Edith leaves the room to get the commission, but is prevented by the arrival of Caroline Mitford, Wilfred's sweetheart. Mr. Arrelsford of the Confederate secret service, a rejected suitor of Edith's, detects Jonas, Mrs. Varney's butler, carrying a note from a prisoner in Libby prison. Arrelsford suspects it is intended for Thorne. The note reads: "Attack tonight. Plan 3. Use Telegraph." Arrelsford declares Thorne is Lewis Dumont of the Federal secret service, and that his brother Henry is a prisoner in Libby. Edith refuses to believe and suggests that Thorne be confronted with the prisoner as a test. An order comes from General Varney for Wilfred to report to the front at once. Edith is forced to carry out her part in the test of Thorne. The prisoner is thrust into the room alone with Thorne recognizes him as his elder brother, Henry Dumont. They put up a fake fight and Henry accidentally kills himself. Caroline goes to the war department telegraph office to send a message to Wilfred. Arrelsford suspects a double meaning and refuses to let it go through. He and Edith secrete themselves to watch Thorne, whose arrival Arrelsford expects. Thorne takes charge of the telegraph office. He starts to send a message, but is interrupted by the arrival of a messenger with a dispatch from the secretary of war. Arrelsford and Edith see Thorne alter the secretary's dispatch. Thorne is shot in the wrist by Arrelsford when he attempts to send it. Arrelsford calls the guard, and when they appear Thorne turns the tables by ordering the arrest of Arrelsford.

CHAPTER XIV.

The Call of the Key.

This astonishing denouement fairly paralyzed Arrelsford. With a daring and ability for which he had not given Thorne credit, and which was totally unexpected, although what he had learned of his previous career might have given him some warning, the tables had been turned upon him by a man whom he confidently fancied he had entrapped beyond possibility of escape!

His amazement held him speechless for a moment, but his natural resourcefulness came back to him with his returning presence of mind. He knew the futility of an attempt to struggle with his captors, he therefore decided to try to reason with them.

"Sergeant," he began, quietly enough, "my orders are—"

But Thorne would not let him continue. Having gained the advantage he was determined to keep it to the end and for that purpose he followed up his first blow, ruthlessly pressing his charge hard.

"Damn your orders!" he interrupted furiously. "You haven't got orders

"Get His Gun Away. He'll Hurt Somebody."

to shoot up everybody you see in this office, have you?"

This was too much for Arrelsford, and he made a desperate plunge forward to get at Thorne, who shook his wounded wrist in the secret service agent's face. The soldiers held him tightly, however, and Thorne continued hotly:

"Get his gun away, sergeant; he'll hurt somebody."

While the soldiers—who appeared to entertain no doubt and to have no hesitancy whatever about obeying Thorne's orders, the latter evidently the military man of the two and his voice and bearing, to say nothing of his uniform, telling heavily against a civilian like Arrelsford—were taking the revolver out of his hands, Thorne once more turned to the telegraph table. His blood was up and he would send the dispatch now before the whole assemblage, before the Confederate government or its army if necessary.

Arrelsford burst out in a last vain attempt to stop him:

"Listen to me, sergeant," he pleaded desperately, "he is going to send out a false telegram and—"

"That'll do," gruffly said the sergeant of the guard, shaking his fist in Arrelsford's face, "what is it all about, captain?"

"All about? I haven't the slightest idea. He says he comes from some office or other. I was sending off some important official dispatches here and he began by letting off his gun at me. Crazy lunatic, I think."

"It's a lie!" said Arrelsford furiously. "Let me speak—I will—prove—"

"Here!" said the sergeant of the guard, "that'll do now. What shall I do with him, captain?"

"I don't care a damn what you do with him. Get him out of here, that's all I want."

"Very well, sir. Are you much hurt?"

"Oh, no. He did up one hand, but I can get along with the other all right," said Thorne, sitting down at the table and seizing the key.

"Stop him!" cried Arrelsford, fully divining that Thorne intended to send the message. "He's sending a—wait!" A thought came to him. "Ask Miss Varney, she saw him—ask Miss Varney."

But the old sergeant of the guard paid no attention whatever to his frantic appeals.

"Here, fall in there!" he said. "We'll get him out, captain. Have you got him, men? Forward then!"

Struggling furiously the squad of soldiers forced Arrelsford to the door. Thorne paid absolutely no attention to them; he had forgotten their presence. Like his attention, his mind and heart were on they key again. But he was fated to meet with still another interruption.

"Halt there!" cried a sharp voice from the hall, just as the group reached the door.

"Halt! Left face!" cried the sergeant in turn, recognizing that here was a superior whom it were well to obey without question or hesitation.

"Here is General Randolph," said the voice outside, giving the name of one of the high officers of the Richmond garrison.

"Present arms!" cried the sergeant of the guard as General Randolph appeared in the doorway.

Following him were some officers of his staff and by his side was the imposing figure of Miss Caroline Mitford The humiliation and indignation had vanished from her bearing which was one of unmitigated triumph. She threw a glance at Arrelsford which bode ill for that young man. The general entered the room and stopped before the secret service agent, who stood in front of the guard, although he had been released by the men.

"What's all this about?" he asked peremptorily.

Although he knew that something important was transpiring, and that the newcomer was a man of rank, Thorne never turned his head. At whatever cost, he realized he must get the telegram off, and from the look of things it appeared that his only chance was then and there. He did not care if the president of the Confederate States of America were there in person, his mind and soul were on the order. He was frantically calling the station he wanted, the one indicated by "Plan 3," and he had the doctored dispatch, to which he had pasted the secretary's signature, spread out on the table before him.

"What's all this about refusing to send out Miss Mitford's telegram?" began General Randolph peremptorily. "Some of your work, I understand, Mr. Arrelsford."

"General!" cried Arrelsford breathlessly. "They have arrested me. It is a conspiracy—" He turned toward Thorne. "Stop that man, for God's sake stop him before it's too late!"

At this juncture, Caroline Mitford turned from the room and joined old Martha in the hall, and disappeared She had only come back with the general to punish Arrelsford, but she did not care to have her precious dispatch made the subject of discussion before so many people.

"Stop him!" exclaimed the general. "What do you mean?"

It was evident that the dispatch was not to go out then. Thorne had not succeeded in getting an answer to his signal. He left the key, rose and saluted.

"He means me, sir," he said. "He's got an idea some dispatch I'm sending out is a trick of the Yankees."

"It is a conspiracy!" cried Arrelsford. "He is an impostor—"

"Why, the man must have gone crazy, general," said Thorne coolly, holding his position by the table and listening with all his ears for the return signal.

"I came here on a case for—" expostulated Arrelsford.

"Wait!" said General Randolph. "I will soon get at the bottom of this. What was he doing when you came in, sergeant?" he asked of the non-commissioned officer in charge of the guard.

"He was firing on the captain, sir," answered the sergeant saluting.

"He was sending out a false order to weaken our lines at Cemetery Hill, and I—ah—Miss Varney, she was here. She saw it all," explained Arrelsford.

"Miss Varney!" exclaimed the general.

"Yes, sir."

"The general's daughter?"

"Yes, sir."

"And what was she doing here?"

"She came to see for herself whether this man was guilty or not; whether he was a spy or a traitor."

"Is this some personal matter of yours, Mr. Arrelsford?" asked the general suspiciously.

"He was a visitor at her house and I wanted her to know."

"Where is she now? Where is Miss Varney?" asked Randolph impatiently.

"She must be out there on the balcony," answered Arrelsford. "I beg you to send for her, sir."

"Sergeant," said General Randolph, "step out on the balcony. Present my compliments to Miss Varney, and ask her to come in at once."

In a moment the sergeant returned.

"There is no one there, sir," he replied saluting.

At that instant Thorne got the long desired signal. Without a moment's hesitation, he turned to the key. He picked up the dispatch with his wounded left hand and with the other began to manipulate the sounder.

"She must be there," said Arrelsford, "or else she's stepped into the next room, the commissary general's office, the window was open, tell him to—ah!" as the sound of the clicking caught his ear, "Stop him. He is sending it now!"

Mr. Arrelsford's distress was so overwhelming and so genuine that something of the man's suspicion was communicated to the general.

"One moment, captain," he said.

Captain Thorne, of course, had no option but to release the key. He stopped sending and dropped the dispatch, saluting.

"Now, Mr. Arrelsford," said the general, "what have you to do with the military telegraph department?"

"This is a secret service case; they assigned it to me, sir."

"What is a secret service case?"

"The whole plot to send the order. It's the Yankee secret service. He is a member of it and his brother brought in the signal tonight."

"I beg your pardon, sir," said Thorne, "this dispatch ought to go out at once, sir. It came from the secretary of war and it is very urgent."

"Go ahead with it," said General Randolph.

Thorne needed no further permission than that, dropped to his seat, and once more seized the fatal key.

"No, no!" cried Arrelsford. "Don't let him—I tell you it's a—"

"Silence, sir," thundered Randolph.

"Do you know what he is telling them?" persisted Arrelsford.

"No, do you?"

"Yes," returned the secret service agent.

"Wait a moment, Captain Thorne," said the general, impressed in spite of himself by this man's earnestness, which made him disregard all orders, commands and everything else. "Where is the dispatch?"

Captain Thorne picked up the paper and handed it to the general, and then stepped back. He had played his last card. He played it desperately, boldly and well.

"Well?" asked the general, looking from the dispatch to the accuser, "what has he been telling them?"

"He began to give an order to withdraw Marston's division from its present position," said Arrelsford, making a brilliant and successful guess at the probable point of attack in "Plan 3."

"That is perfectly correct," said General Randolph, looking at the paper.

"Yes, by that dispatch, but that dispatch is a forgery. It is an order to withdraw a whole division from a vital point. A false order, he wrote it himself. This is the turning point of the whole plot."

"But why should he write it himself? If he wanted to send a false order, he could send it without putting it down on paper, couldn't he?"

"Yes," admitted Arrelsford, but he went on with great acuteness, "if any of the operators came back they would catch him doing it. With that order and the secretary's signature he could go right on. He could even order one of them to send it."

"And pray how did he get the secretary's signature to a forged telegram?" asked General Randolph.

"He tore it off a genuine dispatch. Why, general, look at that dispatch in your hand yourself. The secretary's signature is pasted on, I saw him do it."

"They often come that way, sir," said Thorne nonchalantly.

"He is a liar!" cried Arrelsford. "They never do!"

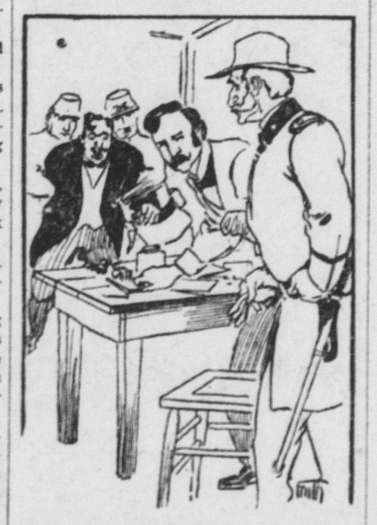
Thorne stepped forward impulsively, his face flushed at the word "liar," but he controlled himself.

"General," he said, "if you have any doubt about that dispatch, send it back to the war department and have it verified."

It was a splendid, magnificent bluff. So overwhelming in its assurance that even Arrelsford himself was petrified with astonishment. He was morally certain that Thorne was a federal secret service agent and that the dispatch was a forgery, yet it would take but a few minutes to send it over to the secretary's office and convict him out of his own mouth. What could the man mean!

"That's a good idea," said General Randolph. He hesitated a moment and then turned to the guard. "Sergeant," he said, "take this dispatch over to the secretary's office and—"

At that moment, the key which had been silent began a lively clicking.



"Silence, Sir," Thundered Randolph.

General Randolph turned toward it, and Thorne made a quick step in the same direction.

"What's that?" asked the general.

Thorne stood by the desk listening while the key clicked out the message.

"Adjutant General Chesney," he spelt out slowly.

"Oh, from the front, then?" said Randolph.

"Yes, sir," answered Thorne.

"What is he saying?"

Thorne stepped to the table and bent over the clicking key. "His compliments, sir," he read off slowly. "He asks"—waiting for a few minutes—"for the rest,"—still another pause—"of that dispatch—he says it's of vital importance, sir, and—"

The communication which Thorne had made to General Randolph was in itself of vital importance. The general was too good a soldier not to know the danger of delay in the carrying out of military maneuver which was probably part of some general plan of attack or defense of which he was not privy. He made up his mind instantly. He took the dispatch from the hand of the sergeant and turned it over to Thorne again.

"Let him have it," he said decisively

The captain with his heart pounding like mad sat down at the table and seized the key. Was he going to complete the dispatch? Was the plan to be carried out. Had he triumphed in the bold and desperately played game by his splendid courage, resourcefulness, and assurance? His eyes shone, the color came back into his pale cheeks as his hands trembled on the key.

"General!" cried Arrelsford, "if you——"

"That's enough, sir. We will have you examined at headquarters."

At that instant Lieutenant Foray came rapidly into the room.

"Thank God!" cried Arrelsford, as he caught sight of him. "There's a witness, he was sent away on a forged order, ask him?"

Another interruption, thought Thorne, desperately fingering the keys If they would only give him a minute more he could complete the order, but he was not to have that minute apparently.

"Wait, captain," said General Randolph quickly, and again the key was silent. "Now, sir," he said to Lieutenant Foray, "where did you come from?"

The lieutenant did not all comprehend what was toward, but his answer to that question was plain.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

QUEER PLANT THAT COUGHS

Works Itself Into a Rage When Dust Is Deposited on Its Leaves.

All have read of carnivorous plants, of laughing plants and of plants that weep, but who has heard of a plant that coughs?

There is the authority of a French botanist, however, for the statement that a plant in various tropical regions actually possesses the power to cough in the most approved manner. The fruit of this plant resembles the common broad bean.

It appears that the coughing plant is something of a crank, that it easily works itself into rage and that it has a curious horror of all dust.

As soon as a few grains of dust are deposited on its leaves, the air chambers that cover their faces and are respiratory organs of the plant become filled with gas, swell and end by driving out the gas with a slight explosion and a sound that resembles so much the cough of a child suffering from a cold as to carry a most uncanny sensation to the one beholding the phenomenon.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Gospel of Courage.

Ralph Waldo Trine stated his belief thus in Harper's Bazar:

"To get up each morning determined to be happy, determined to be master of the events of the day instead of being mastered by them; to take anew this attitude of mind when the doleful thought presents itself or the bogy-man attempts to show his face; to look always on the bright side of things, determined to stand always in the sunshine rather than in the shadow—this it is that makes life with its daily round and its knotty problems continually easier This hopeful, optimistic, courage-always-up attitude of mind and heart is to set into operation subtle, silent forces that are continually working along the lines we are going and that opens the way for us to arrive."

SNAPSHOTS AT STATE NEWS

All Pennsylvania Gleaned for Items of Interest.

REPORTS ABOUT CROPS GOOD

Farmers Busy in Every Locality—Churches Raising Funds for Many Worthy Objects—Items of Business and Pleasure that Interest.

Fullerton has an epidemic of typhoid fever, with 34 cases.

Ohio cows averaged $75 a head at a public sale at Kennett Square.

Accused of running a haymow speak-easy at Carlisle, Charles Hall was arrested.

This season 2,000 hunters' licenses have been issued by the treasurer of Schuylkill county.

Manual training and domestic science have been introduced into the public school system of Chester.

Henry A. Kolbe, of Doylestown, has been appointed health officer of New British township.

Clarence Binder, aged 25, was arrested at Emaus for refusal to pay taxes to the amount of $1.89.

Luzerne's county finances are in a bad way since coal companies have refused to pay increased taxes.

Mrs. Harvey Frame, of West Vincent, gathered from her vines a tomato that weighed over 30 ounces.

His hand having been in contact with a rusty wire, Elmer Godshall, of Lansdale, is suffering with blood poisoning.

The "boilers" of the American Caramel Company, at Lancaster, have struck for shorter hours and higher wages.

Federal engineers say that conditions in the Susquehanna River near Wilkes-Barre may cause a frightful flood.

Judges Scott and Stewart have filed an opinion at Easton in which they announce that no more prisoners will be paroled after sentence.

Thomas Hinkle, a Packer township farmer, shot a porcupine in a swamp adjoining his farm this week, thinking it was a raccoon.

Plunging from a balcony when the railing upon which she leaned gave way, Mrs. Clayton Hollinger, of York, was fatally hurt.

The Rev. W. T. L. Kieffer, pastor of Milton Presbyterian Church, resigned to become president of Lincoln University.

Governor Tener has approved the petition of Bethlehem for the establishment there of the town's first National Guard company.

A bee having stung her horse and caused a runaway, Mrs. Samuel Crabtree, of Hemlock, Columbia county, lost her reason.

Police Chief Laub, of West Berwick, fears some gunner will shoot a pheasant whose injured breast he recently sewed up before liberating the bird.

Mrs. Martha Hoffman, of Matamoras, sold her farm at public sale to Tony Magnella, of Matamoras, for $2,510. It was the old Hoffman house for many years.

Ralph Lloyd, waiting at Collins Station, Lancaster county, to take a train for Middletown to see his sweetheart, was struck by an engine and killed.

After drawing his pay at the Reliance Colliery, near Mt. Carmel, Anthony Ehuda started for home, when a train ran over him causing instant death.

Falling from a chestnut tree near Fountain Spring, Theodore Horning, a painter, of Ashland, fractured his skull, broke both legs, and died at the Miners' Hospital.

Sick and melancholy, Mrs. Thomas Lamb, at Dunmore, attempted to kill her husband by shooting. She then killed herself. Lamb is a policeman and after he had retired from his night's duty she got his revolver.

According to reports coming from Forest county, the chestnut crop near Tionesta will be large. In other localities, however, it is said that the blossoms were killed by late frosts in the spring and the burrs killed by early frosts in the fall.

William Fackenthal and Parke H. Davis, Easton lawyers, have brought suit against Dr. Jacob B. Heller, of that city, for $1,400 and $1,000, respectively, for defending him at his recent trial when he was charged with performing a criminal operation.

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Market Reports.

Wheat, red	$ 85
Corn, on cob, 70 lbs.	70
Corn, shelled, 56 lbs.	70
Rye	65
Oats	35
Barley	55
Hay, Timothy, first grade	$13 00 to 15 00
Hay, mixed	$10 00 to 12 00
Butter	28
Eggs	30
Lard	12

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

[Notices under this head will be received up to Tuesday noon of each week. After that hour pastors will oblige us by not asking favors.]

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning.

Reformed—Union, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

United Evangelical—Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon.

Lutheran Missionary Society.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Synod of Pennsylvania was held in the Lutheran church, Belleville, last week.

The Lutheran missionary society, established in 1875, during the last biennium raised $156,561 89 for mission work. The society supports thirty-eight home and fifteen foreign missionaries and its present membership is 30,000. During its thirty-eight years of existence it has raised for foreign missions the sum of $1,074,575, its average annual contributions for the work amounting to $78,000.

The officers of last year were all re-elected as follows: President, Mrs. W. H. Dolbeer, Beaver Springs; vice presidents, Jessie Carney, Belleville, Juniata conference; Northern conference, Mrs. W. H. Rearick, Mifflinburg; corresponding secretary, Jennie Reifsnyder, Millheim; recording secretary, Mrs. J. Cloyd Horton; treasurer, Anna E. T. Sahm, New Berlin.

Elk Attacks Farmer.

The following dispatch was sent out from Milroy on Sunday, and it is safe to say conditions are not worse than stated:

Jerry Snyder of New Lancaster Valley, in the Seven Mountains, will serve legal notice on the state game commission that in future he will go to the field armed as did the Puritans, and will shoot to kill if any of the elk unloaded there for breeding purposes again attack him.

Snyder found a bull and two cows pasturing on his corn patch, which is none too prolific this season, owing to the drought, and protested by shying a stone at the bull. It became belligerent and caused him to tree in the nearest available sapling, where he was compelled to remain during a greater part of the night, enduring great suffering of mind and body.

Col. Taylor Farm Sold.

The Col. John P. Taylor farm, at Old Fort, was sold last week to Samuel Hoy of near Bellefonte for $13,000 The farm contains one hundred and forty-two acres, twelve acres of which is timbered, the tract being known as the "Fort Woods."

Mr. Hoy, the purchaser of the farm, is the father-in-law of Thomas F. Delaney, who lives on the Baird farm, south-west of Old Fort, and the latter will become the tenant on April 1st William Bradford is the third of that generation to live on the farm, the senior William Bradford having moved there more than thirty years ago. He was succeeded by George Bradford, father of the present tenant.

Foreigners Deal in Drinks.

A bunch of foreigners at the White Rock lime kilns conceived the idea that it would be more economical to purchase their beer in quantity, and selected one of their number to act as purchasing agent. Sixteen cases of beer were ordered, and arrived in due season, but then came trouble. The agent was arrested, and by 'Squire Brown was fined $100 and costs.

The beer was carted away by Deputy Sheriff Rowe.

New York Millinery Goods.

On her way to New York City Mrs. L. W. S. Person of Philipsburg, New Jersey, writes the Reporter thus:—

"I will be at the residence of Mrs. Margaret Strohm, in Centre Hall, from the 17th to the 21st of October, with a complete showing of the latest New York styles in Fall and Winter millinery.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DEDICATED.

$55,000 Edifice at State College Most Imposing Structure South of State's Campus.

Presbyterians from all over Pennsylvania gathered at State College on Sunday for the dedication of the new State College Presbyterian church, which has been given by donations of Presbyterians throughout the state.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Wilson Cochran, secretary of the board of education of the general assembly, preached the dedication sermon.

Three years have been devoted by the board of education to the work of building up the church and linking it to the special needs of the student body. The building cost $55,000, and was designed by Albert W. Kelsey of Philadelphia. Presbyterians of State College gave $20,000 toward the project.

There are 2000 students at the college, and from a census it has been determined that one-fourth of these are members of the Presbyterian church.

Edwin E Sparks, president of the college, and Prof. John A. Hamilton, an old and wealthy resident of the town, have been much interested in the project. Alba B. Johnson, president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadelphia, gave the money for the big bell of the chapel. Other Philadelphia benefactors were Mrs. Charles P. Turner, who gave a $3500 organ in memory of her husband; Dr. Charles P. Turner and James L. Wilson, who gave $1000 toward the $100,000 endowment fund being raised.

Letter from Illinois.

RED OAK, ILL Sept. 30, 1913

Editor Reporter:

It will be 35 years January first next since I, with my parents, brothers, and sisters, arrived in Illinois from Bellefonte. I have never been back to my native town or state since removing west, and I suppose there have been numerous changes there since that time. Your paper keeps me informed in regard to the happenings at Centre Hall and vicinity, and would not like to do without it. I am hoping some time in the near future to pay a visit to my old home, and visit some of my childhood friends; also visit the spots that were so familiar to me during my younger days. I would be pleased to hear from some of my friends who would know me better by my maiden name, Mary Jordon.

I am enclosing one dollar to pay for another year, for your excellent paper, the Centre Reporter. Thanking you for same, I am,

Very Respectfully Yours,
MRS MARY FOGEL

LOCALS.

Jacob Shawver, brother of Isaac A Shawver, died at his home in Milton. He was aged fifty-seven years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Potter were among those who attended the dedication of the Presbyterian church at State College on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Barry and H. G. Strohmeier, the latter a delegate, are attending the sessions of Central Pennsylvania Synod in Lewistown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kent drove to Snydertown on Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Harshberger. Mrs. Harshberger lived with the Potters for many years.

The Centre Hall Evaporating Company is operating its plant at present, and is also shipping apples to market. They are buying apples continually, and will be able to take care of the entire crop in this community.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Homan in Altoona. It is the first arrival in the family, and is a fine youngster. Mr. Homan came to Centre Hall on Tuesday in company with John Clark, and on returning took with him his mother, Mrs. Emma Homan, to see the first grandchild in the Homan family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Deibler of Berrysburg were in town on Tuesday, and before coming here were in Millheim for a few days. Mr. Deibler is giving his time to managing a farm near Berrysburg, having retired from active business life. Mrs. Deibler will be better known by her maiden name Miss Maggie Miller. Her visits to Centre Hall are not at all frequent, it being something like fifteen years since she was here last. She is looking fine, and her appearance indicates that she has spent little time worrying over temporal affairs.

On Tuesday Harry McClenahan had a warrant issued by Justice Brungart for the arrest of Jacob From, the charge being theft. McClenahan, who lives west of town, relates that on Tuesday morning he heard a chicken squawk, and on going in the direction of the noise finally discovered a rooster hidden in a stone pile. The bird had a bandanna handkerchief tied over its back and wings, and also had its legs tied. From was cutting corn near-by, and on seeing McClenahan making the discovery went to him and stated that a ground-hog was pulling the chicken into a hole, and that he rescued it with the intention of returning it to the owner. The rooster proved to be uninjured, and McClenahan swore out the warrant as related above, after having discovered witnesses who saw the transaction.

Badger Dairy Feed—Weber.

LOCALS

Copious rains fell Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in their hall Saturday afternoon.

Progress Grange will meet in regular session on Saturday evening.

A valuable horse belonging to H. G. Stover, in Penn township, died from colic.

Mrs. Sadie Bushman is now an operator in the Commercial telephone exchange in Centre Hall.

Miss Eliza Moore will go to Harrisburg today (Thursday) to remain until some time in January.

In another column is printed a resolution passed by the local school board that will interest Centre Hall residents.

Mrs. Wolf, at Spring Mills, is ready to receive callers to examine her stock of millinery goods just received from the east.

F. V. Goodhart, the furniture dealer, invites you through an advertisement to call at his place of business.

There are eleven cases of small pox in Flemington, Mill Hall and Salona. The schools in Flemington have been closed.

Miss Mary M. Farner, at Colyer, takes this method of announcing her fall millinery opening for October 11th. 1t p'd.

Farmers are mighty busy these days taking care of the second crop of hay, clover seed, corn, and a hundred other items needing attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Fetterolf of Lewistown attended the funeral of their nephew, Howard Fetterolf, at Centre Hall, last Saturday.

An elk was seen along Pine creek, in Haines township, browsing in a field. It was one of the herd placed in the mountain by the state.

Dr. H. W. Schuyler and delegate J. T. Potter attended a session of Huntingdon Presbytery in Altoona from Monday until Wednesday.

Edward Limbert, a Penn township resident, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital by Dr. Musser for an operation for appendicitis and gall stones.

The executors of the late Dr. George L. Lee advertise the Lee homestead, a farm of forty-nine acres, in Potter township, for sale, on October 30. See advertisement in this issue.

R. B. Spangler of Barnsboro visited his mother in Centre Hall. He came to tell of the good news in his home, the arrival of a son, the first in the little family of three.

Merchant H. W. Kreamer, on Friday, went to Johnstown to visit his daughter, Mrs. S. H. Heckman. Mrs Kreamer is also in that city, having gone there a week earlier than her husband.

A covey of quail passed over the Southern section of Penns Valley, and selected a point on Main street, Millheim, for a brief rest. It was Sunday afternoon that the visit was made by the quail.

Mrs. L. W. S. Person will be at the residence of Mrs. Margaret Strohm, in Centre Hall, from the 17th to the 21st of October, with a complete showing of the latest New York styles in Fall and Winter millinery.

C. P. Long & Company advertise in this issue. This general mercantile firm carries a large and varied line of goods. Their advertisement will be interesting to prospective purchasers in almost all the lines of merchandise.

L. G. Rearick is at present located at Jersey Shore where he is taking care of an undertaking establishment. Mr. Rearick, on disposing of his undertaking and furniture business in Centre Hall, went to Florida, but came north last spring, and has been at various points since.

J. N. Heck of Renovo, accompanied by George N. Fisher, called on the Reporter last week. Mr. Heck was over the route from Bellefonte to Lewistown investigating the possibilities of operating a profitable transfer line between the points named. No definite conclusion has been reached, but the outlook is not very flattering. The gentleman represents the Central Pennsylvania Transportation Company and it is a 42-passenger motor car that business was looked for.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Woodward.

T. G. Wolfe and family and James Smith and family spent the Sabbath at the home of Thomas Benner at Fiedler.

Hasten Long and family spent Sunday at the home of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Grenoble.

The stork paid a visit at the Walter Reffner home and left them a baby girl.

Solomon VonNeida and sister, Mrs. Bowersox from Laurelton spent the Sabbath at the home of the gentleman's daughter, Mrs. Abbie Treaster.

Mrs. Norris Kent left for Montgomery last Saturday.

Miss Lulu Boob of Spring Mills spent the greater part of last week with her parents.

Rev. Romberger and wife from Madisonburg were entertained at the home of Mrs. R M. Wolfe Sunday night.

Quite a number of people from town attended the Milton fair Thursday.

The open season for bear holds out little encouragement for the timid amateurs.

Many of the Reporter readers could aid in making the Reporter newsier by sending the news to it over the wire, by mail or otherwise.

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DEATHS.

Mrs. Esther Waltz died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Mallory, in Milton on Wednesday of last week and on Saturday interment was made. She was aged eighty-three years.

Mrs. Waltz was born at Farmers Mills, and her maiden name was Lohr. She was the last survivor of the family. She was twice married, her first husband having been Henry Fry of Potter township. There survive to this union two daughters, the one named above, and Mrs. Sue Kustaborder of New Orleans.

About a year ago while at the home of a niece Mrs. Joseph Lutz of Centre Hall, Mrs. Waltz had the misfortune to fall, and since that time had been confined to bed.

Beside the daughter at whose home the death occurred the only relatives at the funeral were Mrs. Joseph Lutz and Mrs. Samuel Homan, the latter of Williamsport.

After suffering for a period of several weeks from dropsy, Miss Lottie Harshbarger died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Harshbarger, in Georges Valley, Thursday of last week. She was aged thirty-eight years, ten months, and three days. Interment was made at Sprucetown on Monday forenoon, the services being conducted by Rev. J. W. Price.

There survive the deceased the mother, two sisters and five brothers, namely: Mrs. Calvin Coble, Oak Hall; Mrs. Milton Kline, Centre Hall; H. K. and James, Potters Mills; John, Linden Hall; David, Youngstown, Ohio; Elmer, at home.

Howard Fetterolf died at the home of his mother Wednesday afternoon of last week, aged thirty-six years, five days. He was the son of Mrs. Catharine Fetterolf and was born in Mifflin county. He was confined to bed but a few days. Interment was made Saturday morning, Rev. F. W. Barry officiating.

There survive the deceased his mother, and these brothers and sisters: William, James and Frank, Centre Hall; Mrs. Newton Emerick, Altoona; Mrs. Clarence Weaver, Pennsylvania Furnace.

He was aged thirty-six years and five days.

As the result of a shock from an operation in the Bellefonte hospital for the removal of a tumorous growth and appendicitis, Mrs. William S. Tate of Pine Grove Mills died on Monday evening, the operation having been performed on Wednesday previous. She was aged almost sixty-two years.

Before marriage she was engaged as a school teacher and was very successful as such.

She is survived by her husband and a brother, A. G. Archey, Pine Grove Mills; and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Snyder, Pine Hall; Mrs. William Marks, Pine Grove Mills.

James Boal died at Boalsburg Tuesday morning, at 8:30 o'clock, of dropsy. He was a son of Judge George Boal, and lived all his lifetime in Harris and College townships. He was aged seventy years. He was the last of the Boal family.

Mr. Boal was a mute, and for a number of years was cared for by his nephew, Theodore Davis Boal, and was given all the comforts one could desire.

Interment was made Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. W. H. and Mrs. Fry of Pine Grove Mills are mourning the loss of two grandchildren, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. William Goss of Tyrone. The children died of membraneous croup, the girl Mildred Elsie aged five years, on Sunday evening, and the boy, Samuel Frederick, aged six months, on Monday evening.

Kappi Sentenced.

Kappi, the thug who robbed John H. Roush in Millheim Narrows and was found guilty by a jury, was called before the court on Saturday forenoon for sentence. The penalty was two and one-half years in the penitentiary. The sentence might seem light for so grave an offense, but the court gave the Polander the extreme sentence possible under the law. The offense, so far as the court knew, was the first committed by Kappi, and the law provides that on the first conviction the penalty cannot be over the term given in this case.

Sheriff A. B. Lee took the prisoner to the pen at Pittsburg on Monday.

Basket Sale.

Special sale of the Bellefonte baskets, at China Hall, Bellefonte, Pa., October 23rd. and 24th. All baskets will be sold at greatly reduced prices. This is an opportunity to purchase your Christmas presents

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Capt. W. E. Snyder, Centre Hall
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Deibler, Berrysburg

Peter Hockman Badly Injured.

Peter Hockman of Hublersburg while picking apples, last Saturday, fell from a tree and was seriously injured. It is feared his spine is injured to such an extent that he cannot recover. He fell a distance of between fifteen and twenty feet, and the fall was due to a limb breaking. Mr. Hockman is the father of Mrs. B. Gardner Grove, Mrs. Witmer Grove, and Mrs. William Moyer, Spring Mills.

Marriage Licenses.

Geo. F. Smith, Howard
Anna L. Kane, Howard
John Z Bowers, Philipsburg
Anna May Black, Philipsburg
Alexander Berry, Cleveland, O.
Edna Mason, Troy
Charles F. Mendler, Lewistown
Minnie R. Leister, Centre Hall
Russel E. Hockman, Flemington
Rhoda E. Dorman, Lock Haven
Charles C. Witmer, Bellefonte
Ida A. Poorman, Yarnell
Leland P. Lumadue, Blue Ball
Rachel Absolom, Brisbin

LOCALS.

Officials of the state game commission believe that close to 150,000 hunters will be licensed by the time the first of November rolls around and deer hunters commence to prepare for sport.

If Winter and Spring spraying would be more generally done by the apple orchard owners, in this section, the value of the apple crop would be very much increased. One spraying in several local orchards has shown wonderful benefits.

Considerable indignation has been created in State College by the sending of anonymous letters of a scurrilous nature to persons connected with State College and to the college authorities. Some of the most objectionable letters have been submitted to the United States postal authorities and interesting developments are expected.

Tusseyville

Mr. and Mrs. William Cummings and children spent Sunday at the Foster Frazier home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deihl and son Ralph of Linden Hall spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Floray.

W. G Runkle, Esq, of Bellefonte was a caller at the home of his brother Hugh on Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Cummings and daughter Grace of Linden Hall spent Sunday at the home of her brother, Charles Stoner.

Undertaker Henry Rossman is remodeling his work shop. The carpenter work is being done by Calvin Bodtorf.

Frank Lee of Bellefonte spent Sunday at the home of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Horner.

Last Monday Miss Mable Zerby went to the Bellefonte Hospital where she will receive treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lingle spent Sunday at the home of David Stoner.

Miss Leona Wieland of Boalsburg has been plying her needle for the last two weeks at the home of Merchant Charles Swartz.

Adam Krumrine, one of the aged citizens in this vicinity, is very ill at this writing.

Potters Mills

Mrs. Catharine Carson spent several days last week with her niece, Mrs. Bowersox, of near Milroy.

Frank Annis of Yeagertown moved his family to this place last Wednesday.

Mrs. Anna Sankey and Miss Edith Sankey of near Millheim called on Mrs. Armstrong on Saturday.

Joseph Carson and family spent Sunday at the Samuel Bible home in Oak Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Burkholder and children spent Sunday in Mifflin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Rishel of the west spent a short time here on Saturday calling on friends.

Mrs. Immel spent several days last week at the home of Emanuel Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowersox of Milroy spent Sunday at the Carson home.

The funeral of Miss Lottie Harshbarger, on Monday, was attended by relatives and friends from a distance.

Georges Valley.

Mrs. Sarah Reeder spent Sunday at the home of J. K. Confer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schuyler of Potters Mills spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. C. Reeder.

Mrs. Clayton Barger of Jewett, Ohio, visited Mrs. F. M. Ackerman last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lingle spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Ripka.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerre Weaver of Potters Mills spent Sunday at the F. W. Zettle home.

Mrs. Susan Davis visited her daughter, Mrs George Wingard, of Green Brier last Sunday.

D. D. Decker is having his house beautified by having it newly painted. The work is being done by F. M. Ackerman.

Harris Township.

C. D. Moore of State College spent a day at Boalsburg.

Wm. Dale of Pine Grove Mills spent Monday at Boalsburg.

Miss Sallie Keller spent part of this week at Centre Hall.

Misses Mary Reish and Nora Miller spent a week in Altoona.

S. E. Weber unloaded four car loads of coal at Oak Hall this week.

A. J. Jenica of Utica, New York, was a recent visitor at Boalsburg.

Mrs. M. A. Woods and daughter Miss Rose spent Saturday at Spring Mills.

Miss Mollie Hoffer of Centre Hall made a short visit to Boalsburg the early part of last week.

Miss Gertrude Keichline of Pine Grove Mills spent an evening at Boalsburg.

John Bricker shipped a car load of potatoes from Oak Hall station which were purchased from farmers in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones with several children from State College spent Sunday evening at Boalsburg.

Wm. Goheen and family and Mrs. Alice Magoffin attended the dedication of the Presbyterian church at State College on Sunday.

John Charles is making cider Wednesday of every week. During the intervening time he is getting out among the farmers baling hay, and hulling clover seed.

Samuel Heilman of Heilmandale, Lebanon county, and his friend Mr. Artman, students at State College, spent Sunday at the J. M. Wieland home.

Mrs. Martha Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones and son of Kylertown visited over Sunday with Mrs. E. E. Brown and the Searson family.

Rev. J. I. Stonecypher is attending synod. Mrs. Stonecypher and mother, Mrs. Ulrich, are visiting at Selins Grove.

Adam Felty returned to Boalsburg last week after spending the summer with relatives in different parts of the state. His son-in-law, Harry Shugert, accompanied him from Altoona.

A literary society was opened by the Boalsburg high school on Friday evening with an interesting program and a good attendance. They will have a meeting once a month during the school term. All friends of education are invited to attend.

Spring Mills

Daniel Bitner and sister, Mrs. G. H. Long, of Newark, Ohio, are visiting their aged mother, Mrs. Katharine Bitner, who is quite feeble at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Meyer.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Long, on October 1st, a son.

Mr. Keister and family of Aaronsburg spent Sunday at the C. J. Finkle home.

Mr. Luse of Centre Hall spent Sunday at the I. J. Zubler home.

Clair Allison, who is employed at Renovo, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Allison.

Wm. Neese is ill but is improving at this writing.

Eben Finkle spent a few days at Johnstown.

Aaronsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Peircy of New York City are being entertained by the latter's mother, Mrs. Caroline Maize, and sister, Mrs. Guisewite.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weaver on the second day of this month.

Rev. J F. Kerlin of White Water, Kansas, visited his aged aunt, Mrs. (Dr.) Deshler.

Miss Mary Stahl is visiting her brother in Milton.

Lloyd Brown of Linden Hall was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Maize.

Martha Bower had the misfortune to have a bone broken in one of her arms by being struck by an auto crank. She was in the act of cranking a car belonging to her uncle, Frank Kister, when the accident happened.

Mrs. Mary Frell, nee Kreamer, and three children of Renovo, is at present with her uncle, S. A. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver are visiting the latter's brother at Lewistown, and her sister, Mrs. Grenoble, at Yeagertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wert and little son, and Mrs. Wert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, autoed from Philadelphia, and are at the home of Mr. Wert's mother in Aaronsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Kurtz and Mr. and Mrs. David L. Glover of Mifflinburg called on L. E. and Charles Stover, and their aunt, Mrs. Lavina Lenker.

David Summers of Altoona and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiser of Millheim were guests of Miss Annie Summers.

Merchant James Lenker of Lemont was a guest on Sunday of his mother.

Frank Burd, who had been quite ill, is able to be about again.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Letters testamentary on the estate of Maggie Harper, late of the borough of Centre Hall, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them for settlement.

GEORGE H. EMERICK, Executor,
0.40- Centre Hall, Pa.

HOME FOR SALE—Thirteen acres of land, all under cultivation, and in fine condition, on which there is a good two-story house, bank barn and all necessary outbuildings; also fruit of all kinds; cistern in house and covered well in yard. This is a very desirable home, and is located three miles northwest of Spring Mills, and is opposite the Union church at Farmers Mills.

CLAYTON B. STOVER,
0.40. p'd Spring Mills, Pa.

WANTED—A trio of old-fashioned Creeley chickens. Apply to H. W. SHOEMAKER, Riverside, Connecticut.

BEEF HIDES WANTED—The undersigned is in quest of all weights of hides and will pay highest price for same. At present the price is eleven cents per pound. T. F. ROYER, Potters Mills, P. O. address, Spring Mills, R. D.

RHODE ISLAND RED ROOSTERS FOR SALE—A few choice young Rhode Island Red roosters for sale.—JAMES K. FARNER, Spring Mills, Pa.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING OF CENTRE HALL LUTHERAN CHURCH—The members of the Centre Hall Lutheran church will assemble in congregational meeting, Friday evening, October 10, 1913, at 7:30 o'clock, to transact business of importance to every individual member—THE COUNCIL.

JOINT COUNCIL MEETING OF CENTRE HALL LUTHERAN CHARGE.—The members of the joint council of the Lutheran church will meet Saturday afternoon, October, 11, 1913, at 1:30 o'clock, at Centre Hall.—H. W. FRANTZ, Secretary.

ROOM STOVE FOR SALF—A first class room stove, with heater, all in good condition. A good bargain—THE CENTRE REPORTER, Centre Hall.

STOCK FOR SALE—Shorthorn cow and Shorthorn bull, and a Holstein bull, all well-bred stock. GEORGE R. SLACK, Centre Hall, Pa. 0,40.

Sale Register.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29TH,—12 o'clock noon, by Perry Krise, two miles west of Potters Mills: Two horses, one colt; three cows, heifer, chickens, corn, lot of boards, shingles, post, farming implements: horse-power, threshing machine, and shaker; and many other articles.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, twelve o'clock noon, by George L. Horner, on Nittany Mountain. Sorrel horse, bay mare, span of fine mules eight and ten years old, 3 cows, 3 young cattle, lot of Plymouth Rock chickens, farming implements, tools, etc.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, on pike midway between Old Fort and Spring Mills, by F. A. Foreman: Farm stock and implements.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2:30 o'clock, on the premises in Georges Valley by the executors of Samuel Ertle: Farm known as the Ertle farm and also tract of woodland.

March 19, Henry Homan, Centre Hall: Farm stock, etc.—L. F. Mayes, auct.

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CURRENCY REFORM URGED.

President Uses Two Pens In Affixing His Signature, One Going To Simmons and the Other To Underwood.

Washington.—Surrounded by the leaders of a united Democracy, President Wilson signed the Underwood-Simmons Tariff bill at 9.09 o'clock Friday night at the White House.

Simultaneously telegrams were sent to customs collectors throughout the country by the Treasury Department putting into actual operation the first Democratic tariff revision since 1894. The act becomes effective immediately.

A happy group of legislators, members of the Cabinet and friends encircled the President as he smilingly sat down and slowly affixed his signature with two gold pens. He presented to Representative Underwood the pen that had written the word "Woodrow" and the one which had complete his name to Senator Simmons. Both recipients bowed their appreciation.

In impressive silence the President rose and delivered in easy, natural tones an extemporaneous speech that brought prolonged applause.

Asks Currency Legislation.

The President declared that the journey of legislative accomplishment had only been partly completed; that a great service had been done for the rank and file of the country, but that the second step in the emancipation of business was currency reform. He earnestly called upon his colleagues to go "the rest of the journey" with fresh impulse.

"Gentlemen, I feel a very peculiar pleasure," said the President, "in what I have just done by way of taking part in the completion of a great piece of business. It is a pleasure which is very hard to express in words adequate to express the feeling, because the feeling that I have is that we have done the rank and file of the people of this country a great service. It is hard to speak of these things without seeming to go off into campaign eloquence, but that is not my feeling. It is one very profound, a feeling of profound gratitude that, working with the splendid men who have carried this thing through with studious attention and doing justice all round, I should have had part in serving the people of this country as we have been striving to serve them ever since I can remember."

EXPRESS PLUNGES OVER BANK.

Passengers Fight Each Other In Panic and Darkness.

Erie, Pa.—Thirteen victims of the wreck of a westbound through passenger train on the Philadelphia and Erie Railway were reported recovering at the hospitals here. The train, running at a high rate of speed, struck an obstruction on the rails near Carland, Pa. The engine, mail and four passenger cars rolled down a 30-foot embankment. For several minutes the passengers fought each other in a panicky effort to extricate themselves from the twisted wreckage. Railroad employes rushed from the Carland yards and managed to quell the panic. The injured were assisted to the town, where medical aid was obtained. The more seriously hurt were brought here for hospital treatment. Most of the injured were residents of this vicinity.

A CARNEGIE GIFT DECLINED.

Methodist Conference Endorses Action Of Vanderbilt College.

Cleveland, Tenn.—The Holston Conference Methodist Episcopal Church South, unanimously voted to indorse the action of the College of Bishops and the minority of the board of trust of Vanderbilt University in declining to accept an offer of $1,000,000 gift by Andrew Carnegie for Vanderbilt University's medical school. The resolutions express regret "that the terms of said gift as set forth in Mr. Carnegie's letter were such that it could not be accepted with honor."

SUPPRESSION OF GAMBLING.

Representative Harrison Would Have Specific Treaties With Powers.

Washington.—Suppression of gambling in cotton futures over the entire world by negotiation of treaties with foreign nations was proposed in a House resolution introduced by Representative Harrison, of Mississippi.

MONUMENT TO SEA GULL.

Unveiled By Mormons As Reminder Of Deliverance.

Salt Lake City.—Commemorating the deliverance of early Mormon settlers from starvation, a monument to the great Salt Lake sea gull was unveiled in the temple grounds here. A grasshopper scourge, which visited the pioneers in 1848, threatened total destruction to their crops when great flocks of gulls appeared and devoured the pests.

"WE SHOULD WORRY"

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O'DONNELL TELLS OF DYNAMITING

Startling Crimes Throughout the Country.

SUPPLIES MISSING LINKS.

Account Of His Career As Narrated By George E. Davis Reveals a List Of Outrages Similar To That Told By McManigal.

New York.—Dynamite outrages that rivalled the exploits of the McNamara brothers and of Ortie McManigal were confessed to by George E. Davis, a union ironworker. Davis, who was arrested here, was the George O'Donnell who figured in the trial at Indianapolis that resulted in the conviction of Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, and 37 of his associates. His arrest and its consequences round up the work the federal government started more than two years ago, when the dynamiting of bridges and steel frame buildings all over the country became a national scandal.

All the explosions that Davis says he caused were touched on and testified to at the dynamiters' trial in Indianapolis, but the fact that Davis himself caused them remained unrevealed until he himself told of it.

Davis' confession resulted in the arrest in Indianapolis of Harry Jones, secretary-treasurer of the Ironworkers' Union. His confession supplements the evidence presented at the Indianapolis trial and makes fresh charges against some of the men there convicted and now in prison. Some of his revelations concern President Ryan, who is now out on bail pending appeal from a prison sentence of seven years.

Balked At Murder.

Davis says he was the man chosen to kill Walter Drew, attorney for the National Erectors' Association in December, 1911, after Drew was charged with kidnapping John J. McNamara. It was suggested also that he try to "get" William J. Burns, the detective employed by Drew and his associates to unearth the dynamite conspiracy. The price on Drew's head at that time, Davis said, was $5,000. "I told them," his confession continues, "that I didn't want to mix up in such business."

Davis consented to return to Indianapolis without extradition. His bail was fixed at $10,000.

TRADE UNION'S VICTORY.

British Admiralty Has Awarded Them Recognition.

London.—An important victory for the trade unions was announced here, when the British Admiralty awarded them official recognition. In reply to the demands of the dockyard men the admiralty agreed hereafter, in the event of disputes, to meet deputations of the workmen either in London or at the dockyards.

FIVE PERISH IN FLAMES.

Trapped In Hotel By Fire At New Haven, Ky.

New Haven, Ky.—Five persons perished in flames that swept through the business section of New Haven. The victims were the wife, three children and sister of James Devers, who were trapped by the fire in Devers' Hotel. The loss on several buildings destroyed amounted to about $50,000.

EMPLOYERS TO BE HELD.

Must Deduct Income Assessment From Their High-Salaried Men.

Washington.—A warning to employers that they will be held responsible for payment of income taxes by their high-salaried employes was issued by the Internal Revenue Bureau. All collectors were sent a notice calling their attention to the provision of the income tax law requiring firms to deduct the assessment from such employes as come under its provisions.

JAPAN SEEKING EQUAL RIGHTS

Land Ownership in Any State in the Union.

DEPARTMENT SURPRISED.

Will Ask For An Agreement With This Government Giving Even Terms Of Ownership With the Citizens Of Any Other Nation.

Washington.—Surprise was expressed at the State Department at the report from Tokio that another note bearing upon the California anti-alien land legislation had been dispatched to Washington. The last Japanese note presented more than a fortnight ago remains unanswered and it has been assumed that the negotiations temporarily would be held in abeyance until the return of Counsellor John Bassett Moore, who has been in direct charge of the correspondence in the latest phases. Mr. Moore has been on a month's vacation and returned to Washington only Wednesday. By mutual agreement the principles have sought to maintain the strictest secrecy as to the various steps in the negotiations. It is reported here, however, that the Japanese government has reached the conclusion that it cannot successfully meet the contention of the State Department that the California Land Law is not in conflict with the existing treaty, and has decided to seek a new convention.

Unofficial information from Japan indicates that Japan instead of seeking to substitute for the Knox treaty of 1911 an entirely new convention of general scope, is inclined to ask for an agreement that will in conventional terms recognize the right of Japanese land ownership in any state of the United States on even terms with the citizens of any other nation.

The attitude of the State Department regarding such a proposition remains to be developed.

WANT MURDERESS PARDONED.

Woman Was Condemned To Die, But Warrant Never Signed.

Harrisburg, Pa.—The State Board of Pardons was asked to grant a pardon for Mrs. Kate Edwards, the Reading murderess, who has been in prison for more than a dozen years and whose death warrant has been unsigned in the administration of three governors. Mrs. Edwards was convicted September 14, 1901, and sentenced to be hanged in March of the following year. In 1903 commutation was refused. The petition for the pardon alleges that she had been debased by brutal treatment, and had she told the truth at the trial, she would not have been convicted of first degree murder.

TO FURNISH 10C.-A-POUND BEEF.

Peruvian Discusses Panama Canal Trade With Wilson.

Washington.—A. F. Leguia, former President of Peru, called on President Wilson to pay his respects and discuss with him his plans to furnish beef to American consumers for 10 cents a pound when the Panama Canal opens.

FOODLESS FOR 62 DAYS.

California Woman Subsisted Entirely On Water—May Die.

Palo Alto, Cal.—Physicians are hourly expecting the death of Mrs. G. H. Foss, who has refused food for 62 days and lived on a water diet.

FIRE PREVENTION DAY.

October 9th Set Aside In Chicago To Instruct Children.

Chicago.—Three hundred and fifty thousand school children will be addressed by uniformed firemen on October 9, which was designated as Fire Prevention Day in a proclamation issued by Mayor Harrison. They will be told that a majority of fires are caused by carelessness and how they can do their part in keeping the city safe.

The Way.

"How on earth do you start to gain a standing in society?"

"By first getting a footing."

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that have been relieved in the past 75 years by Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills and decide whether they are not worth a trial. They regulate the bowels, stimulate the liver and purify the blood. Adv.

Unanswerable.

Simeon Ford, New York's well-known humorist, said whimsically the other day, apropos of the death of J. Pierpont Morgan: "We learn from Mr. Morgan's life that wealth does not bring happiness. We know already that poverty doesn't bring it, either. What on earth then is a man to do?"—Argonaut.

HAIR CAME OUT IN BUNCHES

Route No. 3, Box 20A, Broken Arrow, Okla.—"My trouble began with an itching of the scalp of my head. My scalp at first became covered with flakes of dandruff which caused me to scratch and this caused a breaking out here and there on the scalp. It became so irritated until I could not rest at night and my hair would come out in bunches and became short and rough.

"Everything I used would cause it to grow worse and it continued that way for about three or four years. While reading the paper I saw the advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a sample. It proved so good that I decided to get some more. I used them as directed and in two weeks I saw a good effect. Now my hair is longer and looks better than I have ever known it to be. I give all the credit of my cure of scalp trouble to the Cuticura Soap and Ointment." (Signed) Mrs. Ella Sheffield, Nov. 30, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Carbines for Cavalry.

A proposition to convert the new Springfield rifle into a carbine for the use of the counted service is being considered by the ordnance officers of the army. The plan is to shorten the barrel of the rifle four inches, and by so doing to reduce its weight by two pounds, thus making it much easier to handle by the mounted troops. The sights also are to be adjusted to meet the shortening of the barrel.

The decrease in the muzzle velocity, it is claimed, will not be so great as to interfere with its effectiveness up to a range of 1,500 yards. The ordnance department had been asked to make a report on the proposition, and the cavalry board will take it up and include it in its report on the reorganization of the cavalry and on the new equipment.

Made Him Short Tempered.

"Bothering me again about that bill. Say, didn't I tell you three weeks ago that I was short?"

"Yes, but you are short too confounded long."

Striking Type.

Marks—Your new stenographer is a remarkably handsome girl.

Parks—Yes, a striking type of female beauty, so to speak.

Not This Time.

"Did you take in boarders this summer, Sam?"

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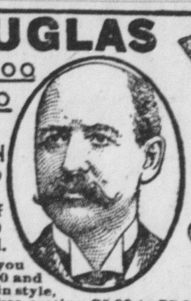

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LETS BABY SLEEP ALL NIGHT.

Boys Prefer the Farm.

The farm boy has a tremendous advantage in the world. Early he is trained to self-reliance, to performance of duties, to regular labor. He has a sound body. He is eminently fitted to do the greatest things done in the world. He recognizes that the farm is the best place in the world in which to live. Ten chances to one he would prefer to stay on his father's farm. If the father can learn to make the farm pay well, if he can make it progressive, with hope of fine achievement at the end of the struggle, then most boys will stay. It is when the farm is stagnant, unprogressive, dead, almost hopeless, that the young man sets his face resolutely away from the farm.—Breeder's Gazette.

Important Question.

"Woman," growled the villain, "the crime is on your own head."

"Is it on straight?" anxiously demanded the villainess.

It Is.

"He has money, health, position, influence—ah, his should be a full life."

"Well, he does tank up considerable."

Its Way.

"I hear there is a new comet coming."

"Yes, and on a special train."

Considering the entire earth, about one person in 100 lives to be sixty-five years of age.

HAS NEW IDEA IN SURGERY

New Yorker Confident of Ability to Graft Limbs of Dead on Bodies of Living.

Dr. A. L. Soresi, a New York surgeon, who astounded the world at the recent medical congress in London by stating that he would soon be able to graft the limbs of the dead upon the bodies of the living, will resume his experiments at his New York laboratories.

"So far I have only taken the limbs of dogs and grafted them on other dogs," said he. "The work is so new that I have to make the instruments to use, and that takes time and patience.

"The dogs on which I have experimented are today just as sound as though they had been born with the limbs grafted on them. When working upon the dogs I take one that has just died and immediately graft his limb to that of a living animal. But with human subjects that question of time is the most serious."

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Case of Mrs. Tully.

Chicago, Ill.—"I take pleasure in writing to thank you for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered with such awful periodic pains, and had a displacement, and received no benefit from the doctors. I was advised to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and am now as well as ever."—Mrs. WILLIAM TULLY, 2052 Ogden Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

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AN AMERICAN EXODUS.

Mexican Federals Closing In On Sabinars—The Seceding Northern Mexican States Form the Confederate States.

San Antonio, Tex.—Two squadrons of the Third Cavalry and Battery C of the Third Field Artillery were rushed in three special trains to Eagle Pass.

Washington. — Brigadier General Bliss, commanding the forces patrolling the Texas border, saw fit to increase the guard at Eagle Pass, to prevent the possible destruction of the international bridges there by Carranzistas. It has been said that the Carranzistas were about ready to leave Ciudad Porfirio Diaz across the Rio Grande from Eagle Pass, and it was feared that being desperate, and having nothing to lose by such an act, they might attempt to destroy the bridges before their departure.

As General Bliss has entire control over the border situation he ordered these additional troops without consulting the War Department here.

FOR WHITE HOUSE WEDDING.

Mrs. Wilson and Daughters To Return To Make Preparations.

Washington.—Mrs. Wilson and her three daughters will return to Washington from her summer home at Carnish, N. H., October 15. Mrs. Wilson is returning early, so that she may superintend the remodeling of the upper rooms, which are being done after designs drawn by her, and make final preparations for the White House wedding on November 25.

Miss Isabelle Hagner, secretary to Mrs. Wilson, is busy compiling the list for the wedding invitations of Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson and Mr. Francis B. Sayres. So eagerly are these invitations sought that Miss Hagner has been obliged to deny all telephone calls for fear someone will offer her money, invitations, flowers or jewelry if she will but put their names down on the list.

The knell of those left out will be rung on October 16, when the invitations will be sent out after Mr. Wilson has had time to pass on the names.

AMERICAN INVENTIVE GENIUS.

New Record Shown By the Patent Office Last Year.

Washington.—That the inventive genius of the country is busy is indicated by the annual report of the Commissioner of Patents just made public. Applications for patents during the year totaled 67,986, the largest on record, except for 1912, when there were 69,236.

During the year 38,754 patents were granted and 5,166 trade-marks, 664 labels and 254 prints were registered.

The receipts from all sources aggregated $2,082,490; expenditures, $1,924,459, the net revenue being $158,030. The Patent Office has the distinction of being one of the few bureaus of the government that is operated at a profit the net surplus of the office since its establishment being $7,290,103.

BARON FAVA DEAD.

Was Italy's Ambassador To This Country For Twenty Years.

Rome.—Baron Saverio Fava, former Italian ambashador to the United States, died here. He was born in 1832. Baron Fava was retired from the diplomatic corps by royal decree in April, 1901, and sailed for Italy the following June to resume his seat in the Senate.

ANOTHER GRIDIRON FATALITY.

Allen Weidman, Minneapolis High School Boy, Dead.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Allen Weidman, the high school boy, whose spinal column was fractured while playing football September 24, died here. Weidman was running with the ball, when he collided with another player and was thrown.

DROWNED BY A FISH.

Milwauke Banker Upsets Boat While Pulling In Prize.

Lake Mills, Wis.—Herman Berlin, a Milwaukee banker, was drowned in an effort to land a large fish. While tugging with the fish, Berlin stood erect in the boat which was overturned.

AIRSHIP HITS CROWD.

Seven Persons Are Injured At the Elkins Fair Grounds.

Elkins, W. Va.—At least seven people were injured, one fatally and one seriously, when an aeroplane driven by Irving Conley bore down upon them in a big crowd which lined the fence at the Elkins fair grounds. The machine came down from a distance of 50 feet, landing squarely on the fence with terrific force. The aviator was thrown head-long into the crowd.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says:

"Distributing trade has held the centre of the stage this week, and in this line dry goods, clothing and wearing apparel generally have been most active, both at wholesale and retail. Trade tendencies in general, however, are onward, and though there are enough exceptions to prevent uniformity, business affairs show further improvement.

"This manifestation may very properly be correlated to the fact that stocks everywhere are light, that rains in the Southwest have superinduced a better feeling there, that colder weather over a wide area in the forepart of the week furnished a reminder that heavy goods were needed besides affording a stimulus to retail trade, and that the crop movement has enlarged with farm produce prices especially remunerative, this latter feature being reflected in somewhat improved collections.

"Most reports indicate that trade is better than it was at this time last year. Moreover, money appears to be a little easier.

"Business failures for the week were 287, which compares with 259 last year."

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 94½ c i f, New York export basis, and 96 f o b afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 94¼ f o b afloat.

Corn—Spot weak; export, 79½ nominal f o b afloat.

Oats—Spot easier; standard white, 46½@47; No. 3, 45½@46; fancy clipped white, 47½@48½.

Cheese — Steady; receipts, 5,500 boxes; Wisconsin whole milk flats, best, 16¼c; twins, best, 16; daisies, best, 16¼@16½.

Eggs — Irregular; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery whites, 40@45; gathered whites, 36@43.

Live Poultry—Firm; Western chickens, 18@19c; fowls, 18@19; turkeys, 17. Dressed steady; fresh-killed Western chickens, 17@24c; fowls, 14@19½; turkeys, 18@20.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red spot and September, 91; October, 91.

Corn—Quote fresh shelled yellow corn, on track, for domestic delivery, at 80c per bu asked for car lots on spot.

Oats—Standard white, new, 45c sales; old, 46 asked; No. 3 white, new, 44¾@45; old, 45½ asked; No. 4 white, new, 44@44¼.

Rye—No. 1 rye, Western, domestic, 75@76c; No. 2 rye, Western, domestic, 72@73. Bag lots nearby, as to quality, 60@70c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $18.50@19.00; standard timothy, $18.00@18.50; No. 2 timothy, $17.50@18.00; No. 3 timothy, $16.00@17.00; light clover, mixed, $17.00@17.50; No. 1 clover, mixed, $16.50@17.00; No. 2 clover, mixed, $14.50@15.50; heavy clover, mixed, $15.50@16.00; No 1 clover, $15.50@16.00; No. 2 clover, $13.50@15.00.

Straw—No. 1 straight rye, new, $16.50@17.00; No. 2 straight rye, new, $16.50; No. 1 tangled rye, $9.50@10.00; No. 1 wheat, $7.50; No. 2 wheat, $7.00; No. 1 oat, $8.00@9.00; No. 2 oat, $7.00@8.00.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 32@33; creamery, choice, 30@31; creamery, good, 28@29; creamery, prints, 32@34; creamery, blocks, 31@33; ladles, 22@23; Maryland and Pennsylvania rolls, 22@23; Ohio rolls, 22; West Virginia rolls, 22.

Cheese—We quote, jobbing lots, per pound, 17½@18½.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby, firsts, 29c; Western, firsts, 29; West Virginia, firsts, 28@29; Southern, firsts, 27. Recrated and rehandled eggs, ½c to 1c higher.

Live Poultry—Chickens, old hens, 18c; do, old hens, small to medium, 17; do, old roosters, 10@11; do, spring, large, 18; do, small to medium, 18. Ducks, old, 12@14c; do, spring, 3 lbs and over, 14@15; do, smaller, 13. Pigeons, young, per pair, 20c; do, old, per pair, 20. Guinea fowl, old, each, 35c; do, do, young, 1½ lbs and over, 55; do, do, do, smaller, 40@45.

Live Stock

NEW YORK.—Beeves—No trading. Dressed beef, 12@14c.

Calves—Veals, $9.00@13.50; culls, $7.00@8.50; Western calves, $8.75; city dressed veals, 16@20; country dressed, 12½@18.

Sheep and Lambs—Irregular. Sheep, $3.00@4.50; lambs, $6.00@7.75; culls, $5.00@5.50.

Hogs—Steady; $9.00@9.50; roughs, $8.00.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Hogs—Bulk, $8.15@8.45; heavy, $8.15@8.35; packers and butchers, $8.10@8.45; light, $8.15@8.50; pigs, $6.00@7.75.

Cattle—Prime feeders, $8.80@9.25; dressed beef steers, $7.75@8.75; Southern steers, $5.50@6.85; cows, $4.25@7.00; heifers, $5.00@9.00; stockers and feeders, $5.25@7.75; bulls, $4.50@6.85; calves, $5.50@9.75.

Sheep—Strong to 10c higher. Lambs, $6.50@7.15; yearlings, $4.75@5.75; wethers, $4.25¾@4.75; ewes, $3.40@4.25.

PITTSBURGH, PA. — Cattle—Steady supply light. Choice, $8.50@8.85; prime, $8.25@8.50.

MAKES HARD WORK HARDER

A bad back makes a day's work twice as hard. Backache usually comes from weak kidneys, and if headaches, dizziness or urinary disorders are added, don't wait—get help before the kidney disease takes a grip—before dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease sets in. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought new life and new strength to thousands of working men and women. Used and recommended the world over.

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Most Any Time.

The scene is set.

A country road, trees, sky, summer homes, a lake in the distance. A steam railway line crosses the road at right angles.

Enter, up the road, an automobile, well loaded and running at high speed.

Both automobile and train are rushing toward the crossing.

Owner of automobile to chauffeur: "Can you make it?"

The chauffeur, speeding up: "Sure I can make it."

He doesn't.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Alexandria.

Alexandria is Egypt's principal port and commercial center. According to statistics taken in 1908, Alexandria occupies third place among Mediterranean ports. Twenty-one ocean navigation companies maintain a regular scheduled service at Alexandria.

Against a Stone Wall.

"My poor man, you are the picture of dejection," sympathetically declared the prison visitor.

"And a framed picture, at that," added the convict.—Buffalo Express.

Explanation.

"What is oral surgery?"

"I guess it is the kind which makes a man mend his speech."

Lots of easy marks have been done in the name of charity.

LOSING APPETITE FOR NUTS

Writer Bemoans the Passing of the Ancient Fondness That Made Winter Evenings a Joy.

The old butternut, a very rich and fragrant nut of the olden time, has almost disappeared. Very few people of the present generation have ever tasted a butternut. The black walnut is becoming fewer, and in a generation hence it will hardly be known. And yet it is a precious nut, full of goodness and rare taste. Those old pans of cracked walnuts, in the long winter evenings, made up a family joy that has never been surpassed. The hickory nuts, especially the good old shellbarks, figured prominently in those nutty days, and the chestnuts, too, including the hazel nuts and beech nuts; but they are all growing scarcer, and have sadly strayed away from the human heart.

The pecan is becoming the great American nut. There are thousands of trees cultivated in the south, and the nut has become commercially important. Trees are reported bearing $200 to $500 worth of nuts per acre. It is a rich nut, but quite too hard for the novice to pick out the kernels. There are, however, machines that do the work perfectly. But, after all, for rich, well-flavored and grand mouthfuls of nuts, give us the English walnut.—Ohio State Journal.

Worms Know Her Song.

Mrs. B. A. Hitchcock of Canaan, an officer of the Litchfield County Equal Franchise league, has made the following statement in a letter to a local newspaper:

"I tamed half a dozen angle dogs or worms, and got them so that they would come up out of the earth and eat out of my hand. I fed them pumpkins and bran mash, but they thrive best on sauerkraut. It took me some time to tame them so that they knew my knock on the earth above them from the tap of an old hen's bill. I rap softly three times and whistle 'Oh, Promise Me,' and up come the angleworms. One day I discovered that the biggest, fattest angleworm was cross-eyed." — Winsted (Conn.) Dispatch to the New York World.

Egyptains Had 12-Hour Day.

The early Egyptians divided day and night each into 12 hours, a custom adopted by the Jews or Greeks probably from the Babylonians. The days is said to have been divided into hours from 293 B. C., when L. Papirius Cursor erected a sundial in the temple of Quicinus at Rome. Before water clocks were invented in 158 B. C., time was called at Rome by public criers. In England the measurement of time was, in early days, uncertain; one expedient was by wax candles, three inches burning an hour, and six wax candles burning 24 hours—ascribed to Alfred, 886.

Wrong Ones.

Mamma (at amateur entertainment)—Hush, Willie, the violinist is trying her strings.

Willie (aloud)—Then, while she's at it, why don't she fix them that show in the back.—Puck.

Courageous.

He—I've half a mind to kiss you.

She—Is the other half out of commission?—Boston Evening Transcript.

If you would learn a man's weakness let him talk while you listen.

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"Old man Jones has just gone up."

"What? Not in business?"

"No; in the elevator."

Malicious Hint.

"My ancestors came over with William the Conqueror."

"But they wouldn't, you know, if they'd had a good immigration law then."

Sadder Still.

Discussing a recent political scandal, in which an official was accused of dishonesty, Richard Harding Davis, lunching with a number of theatrical stars at a fashionable roof garden in New York, said, with a sigh:

"He is a man I would have thought incapable of baseness. It is sad to think that every man has his price."

"Yes," said a comedian, "but a sadder fact still is that half the time he can't get it."

Absurd Congresses.

Andrew Carnegie, in his advocacy of universal peace, has no faith in half measures.

"These congresses," he once said in New York—"these congresses that advocate, not universal peace, but smaller bullets, gentler bombardments and less destructive bombs annoy me.

"When we succeed, thanks to such congresses, in eliminating savagery from war, then it will be quite in order for us to proceed to eliminate the darkness from night."

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THE CENTRE REPORTER

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1913

WOMAN CONFESSES TO CRIME.

Gertrude Ream Confesses to Having Set Fire to Mansion in Montgomery in Which she was a Domestic.

The following dispatch appeared in the Philadelphia North American and was sent out from Williamsport, under date of October 2nd. Miss Ream is well known in this section. The dispatch is printed in full:

"Gertrude Ream, twenty-two years, a domestic, today confessed that she set fire to the $40,000 home of William Decker, at Montgomery, to cover up robberies that she had been committing from time to time.

"On two different occasions in August fires were discovered in the home just in time to prevent their spreading. Detectives were employed by Mr. Decker, who is the owner of the large Montgomery table works. They worked on the case for weeks.

"Among articles that were discovered to have been stolen after the fires was a diamond from a brooch. The girl lately had a stone set in a ring. When she was confronted with the evidence, she broke down and confessed.

"The case will not be pressed against her."

From other sources it is learned it was the insurance companies that put the trailer on the Ream girl. The Decker home is one of the grandest in all that section of country, and something like $50,000 insurance is carried. The fires were so mysterious, that the insurance companies became uneasy and determined to ascertain the cause of them, and succeeded as above noted.

TO ENLARGE SCHOOL GROUND.

Centre Hall School Board Unanimously Adopts Resolution to Secure Additional Ground to West of Present Site.

At a meeting held by the Centre Hall board of school directors on Thursday evening, October 2nd, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, the directors being H. G. Strohmeier, president; H. F. Bitner, secretary; D. F. Luse, John H. Puff, John G. Dauberman

THE RESOLUTION.

Whereas, Residents adjoining the public school grounds complain that the pupils trespass upon their property when at play, and,

Whereas, the land used for play is at present less than one half an acre, although used by four schools and more than one hundred and twenty pupils, and,

Whereas, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction as well as the County Superintendent of Public Schools have urgently favored larger playgrounds for our pupils,

Therefore, Resolved that we, the directors, proceed to secure one and one half acres additional land on the West side of the school lot,

Resolved further, that if the land can not be secured by purchase at a reasonable price, we will enter upon it and take it under the authority given in sections 602, and 605 of the School Code.

144 Agricultural Students.

One hundred and forty-four students have been admitted to the two years' course in agriculture. Admission was refused to a large number because of lack of facilities for instruction.

Student judging teams from the Pennsylvania State College will be represented at the international live stock show, Chicago, October 23 to November 6 and at the international dairy show, Chicago, November 29 to December 6, and at the meeting of the American Pomological society to be held in Washington, D. C., November 17 to 22.

R. U. Blasingame, a graduate of the Alabama Polytechnic institute, 1910, and a graduate of the Iowa State college, 1913, has been elected instructor in agronomy and took up his duties September 1. Mr. Blasingame will have charge of instructional and investigational work pertaining to farm buildings, drainage and the use and care of all kinds of agricultural implements and machinery.

Transfers of Real Estate.

B. F. Frankenberger to H. B. Frankenberger, tract of land in Gregg twp. $4,000.

W. J. Carlin, Exr. to Elmira R. Gramley, house and lot in Smullton. $1.00.

B. F. Frankenberger to G. W. Frankenberger, tract of land in Gregg twp. $5,000.

Nosh W. Eby et ux to E. W. Motz, tract of land in Woodward. $51.75.

Emma R. Butts to Mary O. Foster, premises in State College. $10,000.00

James Barnes Exr. to Ned Irish et al, tract of land in Philipsburg $4,000.00.

Ned Irish et al to Guy C. Irish, trustee, tract of land in Philipsburg. $1.00.

Margaret B. McDonald to Wm. T. Garrett, tract of land in State College. $600.00.

Joseph Myers' heirs to Theodore D. Boal, tract of land in Harris twp. $1,250.00.

Margaret C. Gates to George W. Holt, tract of land in Howard twp. $135.00.

Clara Mayer et al to George W. Bratton, tract of land in Philipsburg. $1,000.00.

Badger Dairy Feed—Weber.

Centre Reporter, $1.00 a year.

SOCIABILITY RUN TO BELLEFONTE

From Harrisburg Won by Cadillic by Dr. Holmes—Car Carried Seven Passengers.

Only one minute and fifty seconds away from the official time set by Governor Tener for the sociability run of the Harrisburg Motor Club on Saturday, Dr. R. A. Holmes with a Cadillac car, won the silver loving cup awarded by the citizens of Bellefonte for the best record made. Dr Holmes' time for the 116 mile run was six hours, twenty minutes and ten seconds while Governor Tener's secret time was six hours and twenty-two minutes.

In the economy run I. W. Dill, with a new model six cylinder Hudson car won, making a splendid average of fifteen miles for each gallon of gasoline used.

The prizes were awarded in Bellefonte immediately after the final checking had been made by the officials, the presentation being made by V. Grant Forrer, Clyde Myton and W R Douglas.

The winning car in the economy contest carried seven passengers during the entire run, while five were seated in the other contestants' machines. The entire trip was made by the Hudson car without either tire or engine trouble.

Fourteen of the twenty-two cars entered in the run were owned by Dr E. B. Wright, H. W. Baker, A. W Andrews, F. H. Bomgardner, F. H. Benfer, H. C. Wright, H. B Olewine, W. G. Starry, H. C. Stober, C. B Shope, J. W. Shook, Dr. R A Holmes, J. W. Geiger, Frank Horting.

Two passengers in the cars were former residents of Centre Hall, and were Joseph Ross, who many years ago worked in the tailoring establishment of the Cottle Brothers, and Aaron Harter, for a number of years connected with the Centre Hall roller mills.

The writer, on his return from Bellefonte, passed nearly all the machines, and there was not a road hog in the lot. Every driver gave a good half of the road, and turned to the side sufficiently in advance of meeting to make one wish all chauffeurs would practice the Harrisburg way.

Speaking of the run to Bellefonte the Harrisburg Star Independent has this to say:

"From the Union county line to Woodward, in Centre county, a distance of four miles, a mountain is crossed which is unsurpassed for scenic beauty. The road over this mountain was made during August and September, 1912, under the supervision of C. P. Long of Spring Mills, who was in the employ of the State Highway Department, at a cost of approximately $200 per mile. The work consisted of grading, ditching, putting in many drains which were built of the large stones removed from the road bed, this, with the aid of a split log drag and a roller, has made one of the most beautiful mountain roads in Pennsylvania. Mr. Long is justly proud of his work."

HOUSTON ON WHAT TO EAT.

Many Persons Disordered by Cure-alls—Forget Yourself, Eat in Moderation.

The warning against food fads and food faddists, by Secretary David F. Huston, with the approval of the experts of the Federal Department of Agriculture, is in line with the best thought of the medical profession.

Every physician in active practice knows that the digestive functions of many persons are disordered by "cure-alls" and "perfect diets for sick persons" recommended by those who are themselves sincere but deceived or advertised by fakers for pecuniary profit.

Likewise every physician knows that there are many persons with whom there is nothing the matter who imagine that they have some ailment and are continually trying different remedies and different diets to cure some complaint that exists only in their too-apprehensive imagination. Such persons, who may fairly be called hypochondriacs, not infrequently may finally make themselves really ill by continually thinking they are, and taking advertised nostroms or following the advice of diet faddists.

There would be much less sickness and misery in the world, if everybody would follow Secretary Houston's advice:—"Stop thinking about yourself; stop worrying about your body; imagine that you are well; eat in moderation the things you enjoy, and if you find that any particular thing disagrees with you, don't eat it."

Every person ought to know that anger, fear and worry, these three, vitiate the gastric juices and spoil digestion. The worst of these is worry, and the most baleful kind of worry is worry about one's self.

Eat in moderation, in a cheerful spirit, with a thankful heart, what tastes good to you, be clean and temperate and you are pretty sure of health, happiness and length of days.

After the Fall Work is Done.

Why not enter the Lock Haven Normal School October 27th? You can spend seven and a half weeks there for $36.25 if you are over seventeen and intend to teach. The winter term will begin January 5th. Write for catalogue to Dr. George P. Singer, Principal. o.41.

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The late Bishop Doane of Albany, a strict conservative, had his own views as to woman's place in the world. No feminist this good Tory bishop, no advocate of "newness" of any sort.

Bishop Doane believed in marriage of the real old fashioned kind, and to bridegrooms at weddings he used sometimes to make a little speech.

"My young friend," he would say to the pale and nervous bridegroom, patting him on the back, "you are now embarking on a long, hazardous voyage, and I bid you remember the Finnish proverb

"For the Finnish sailors have a proverb to this effect:

"'The man who on the ship of matrimony signs as mate will never get promoted.'"—New York Tribune.

Better Than a Clock.

"My father," said the small boy to the lady who was calling on his mother, "is a great man. He knows what time it is without even looking at his watch."

"What do you mean, Tommy?" queried the visitor.

"Oh, when I holler out an' ask him what time it is in the morning, he always says it's time to get up. An' when I ask him what time it is in the evenin', he allus says, 'Time to go to bed, Tommy.' Oh, I tell you my father is a great man!"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Her Forebodings.

"Why are you worrying, dear?" he asked after they had got things settled in their cunning little bungalow.

"I was just thinking that if you turn out to be as great as I expect you to be and we have any children, they will have to take their places among the idle rich."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Not All Blank.

"How about this shooting?"

"My client's mind is blank, judge. That ought to be sufficient excuse to get him off."

"I might consider it if the cartridges had been blank too."—Kansas City Journal.

Fear and Danger.

Nervous Old Lady (to deck hand on steamboat)—Mr. Steamboatman, is there any fear of danger? Deck Hand (carelessly)—Plenty of fear, ma'am, but not a bit of danger.

Anxiety never yet successfully bridged over any chasm.—Ruffini.

Ready to Take a Chance.

"John, I've just heard where you may buy a fine new automobile for half price."

"All right, dear. Now, if you can hear how we may be able to keep it going for half price I'll buy the thing."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Giving Him Away.

"Ma," inquired Bobby, "hasn't pa a queer idea of heaven?"

"Why do you ask that?"

"'Cause I heard him tell Mr. Nayber that the week you spent at the sea shore seemed like heaven to him."—

Forebodes Trouble.

When a woman rattles the dishes more than usual while preparing supper it's a sure sign that her husband will hear something drop when he comes home.—Atlanta Journal.

Slim Sarah.

In the days when Sarah Bernhardt's extraordinary thinness was the joke of Paris, Rochefort wrote, "An empty cab drove up to the theater, and Sarah Bernhardt alighted from it!"

The market basket is getting ready to give the new tariff a test.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN POTTER TOWNSHIP—

The undersigned, executors of the late Dr. George L. Lee, deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises, situate in the township of Potter, Centre county, Pa., about three and one-half miles south west of Centre Hall, Pa., on

THURSDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

DESCRIPTION.

Description of said farm is as follows:

Beginning at a post on line of J. Dauberman, thence North 23 degrees West 7 perches to stones; then South 80 degrees West 3.2 perches to Spruce Knot; thence South 54.5 degrees West 24.7 perches to spruce; thence North 47 degrees West 10 perches to post; thence North 4 degrees East 28 perches to Linn; thence North 16 degrees East 10.5 perches to Spruce; thence North 35 degrees East 9.7 perches to fallen Spruce; thence North 54 degrees East 21 perches to post; thence North 71 degrees East 28.2 perches to post old corner Red Oak; thence North 44 degrees East 5 perches to post; thence North 66 degrees East 8.5 perches to White Oak; thence North 23 degrees West 19 perches to White Oak corner; thence South 67 degrees West 39.2 perches; thence along land of Jacob Runkle North 23 degrees West 166.5 perches to stones; thence South 67 degrees West 39.2 perches; thence along land of Philip Shook South 70 degrees West 42.8 perches to stones; thence along land of George Grossman South 66 degrees West 22.8 perches to stones; thence along land of Jonas From and John Fortney South 23 degrees East 186 perches to stones; thence South 26.75 degrees East 70.5 perches to stones; thence along land of J. Dauberman North 52 degrees East 43.5 perches to the place of beginning,

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TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent on day of sale, and balance on delivery of deed.

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FRANK D. LEE, Bellefonte, Pa.

L. F. Mayes, Auctioneer.
Fortney & Fortney, Attorneys. o.42

REAL ESTATE AT PUBLIC SALE.—

There will be sold on the premises indicated as tract No. 1, in Georges Valley, Gregg township, the following described real estate, the property of Samuel Ertle, late of Gregg township, deceased, on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH, 1913 at 2:30 P. M.

TRACT NO. 1.—THE ERTLE HOME, CONTAINING 16 ACRES AND 50 PERCHES

All that certain messuage, and tract of land situate in Gregg Township, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post, thence by lands Catherine Gentzel, North 26.5 deg. West 28.2 perches to a stone, thence along Egg Hill 58 deg. East, 23.4 perches to a Chestnut-oak, thence by same North, 64 deg. East, 17 perches to a gum tree, thence by same north 37 deg. East, 12.6 perches to a stone, thence by land of David Ludwig, South 22 deg. West 30.6 perches to a post, thence by land of James Hettinger south 50 deg. West 45.8 perches to the place of beginning, containing seven acres more or less, there erected a good house and new bank barn, carpenter shop, summer kitchen, other out-buildings.

Also, all that certain messuage and tract of land situate in Gregg township, County and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post thence by land of Elias Gentzel & al James Gentzel North, 54 deg. East 32.1 perches to a stone, thence by other lands of Grantors South, 25.5 deg. East 44.9 perches to a stone, thence by lands of Samuel Ertle, South, 60 deg. West 36.1 perches to a stone, thence by same north 20 deg. West, 41.4 perches to the place of beginning, containing nine acres and five perches net measure; no improvements. It being the same two tracts of land which F. F. Jamison (party hereto) became seized by deed of John P. Condo, Esq., High sheriff of Centre county, acknowledged in open court on the 30th day of January, A. D., 1896, and recorded in Sheriff's Deed Book "F", Page 76, reference thereto being had will more fully and at large appear.

NUMBER 2. TIMBER TRACT. All that certain tract of timber land situate in Gregg township, county of Centre, state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a pine thence along the land of Samuel Ertle South, 63 deg. West 87.8 perches to a stone, thence by land of Elias P. Gentzel North 28 deg. West 56 perches to a stone, thence by land of Allison Brothers North 62.25 deg. and East 90.8 perches to a stone, thence by land of the heirs of David Ludwig South 26 deg. East 57 perches to a pine, and place of beginning, containing thirty acres and eight perches, net measure. It being part of the same tract of which Catharine Gentzel became during her life time lawfully seized of, and being so there of seized died intestate leaving issue, viz: one son, Elias P Gentzel, to whom the same did descend and come and the said Elias P. Gentzel by his Deed dated May 1st, A. D., 1894, did convey the same unto James D. Gentzel the present grantor reference thereto had will more fully appear.

TERM OF SALE: For tract No. 1—ten per cent. on day of sale; remainder on April 1st, when possession will be given. Tract No. 2—10 per cent. on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale.

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